

# Oakland Tribune.

MAGAZINE SECTION

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## The X-Ray Probe to Childhood's Secrets

SCIENCE ASSERTS  
WE HAVE LONG  
WRONGED OUR LITTLE ONES



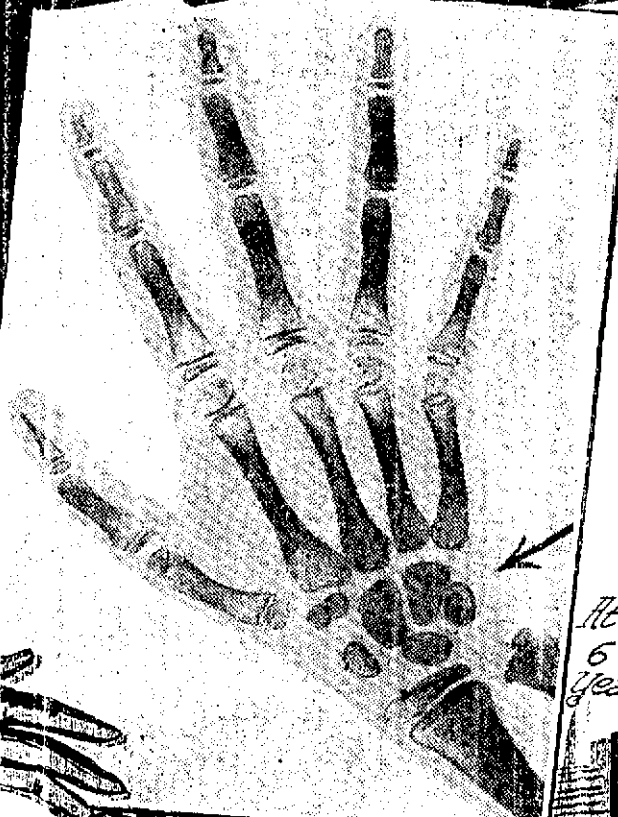
Or you may be the father of a little master of ten years, a bright, curly-headed little fellow who has gone ahead in school with a dash that has amazed you; who is now going through his grade as fast as the teacher can rush him, and who plays baseball and football with his class with such vim that you wonder whether he will become a learned professor or a star athlete.

The little fellow's eyes are bright; his head clear; he is the wonder of the family. He learns his lessons with no effort whatever.

But how many such promising little fellows have you known; and how many, after a wonderful career, stopped learning suddenly—the promise of the early years blasted, the precocity now a failure?

If his happens, as it has so often, you probably may not know that the fond parents are responsible; that, while the boy went ahead in his class and while he played ball, his body was not the body of a child of 10, but a child of 8, and that the tax on the brain and nervous system slowly undermined its strength and left it depleted a wreck.

Thousands of children are sent unduly to mill and factories and that weak bodies perish in the stress are undoubted; statistics prove as much. But do you not know that children are equally as well destroyed physically and ruined mentally by fond parents and proud teachers?



At 6 Years



At 8 1/2 Years

mental and evil-engendering error has been made. For, it asserts, the actual development of a child cannot be computed by years. A child's actual age is properly gauged only by development. A child of 10 may have the development of a child of 7 or 8, or a child of 8 the development of a child of 10. And to force a child beyond its actual age is a wrong which will result in the consequent evils of a lifetime.

In the past childhood has been able to keep to itself this secret so important to be learned—that of its age measured by development. Now, then, if science is correct, may a child's actual age be ascertained?

By means of the X-ray, science replies.

UPON the proper rearing of a child depend the future and the future of its children.

Following the wrong bringing up of a little one come evils, physical and mental, which may affect generations.

These are simple and self-evident facts. Yet, because of our ignorance of the actual age of children, of knowledge of the stages of development, scientists declare, thousands of children are being ruined today.

Because of this age ignorance, thousands are being placed in kindergartens when they should remain in nurseries; thousands are being forced ahead in schools because of a supposed development of brain in excess of development of body; thousands are being wrecked by participation in athletics; and thousands are being destroyed, blighted like buds ere they bloom, in mills and factories, because unwise laws permit of their employment when their bodily development is not proportionate to age.

You say you have heard this before; that the evils of child labor are incalculable and cry aloud for amelioration?

Perhaps you are the father or mother of a bright little golden-haired girl. You kiss her at night before you place her in her cot; you love to feel the tangle of her little hand, and you gaze upon her as a miracle, wondering at her precocity and brightness. In the morning, because she



At 13 1/2 Years



At 5 1/2 Years

DO YOU know the age of your child? Does the nurse or the kindergarten teacher know? Or, if the child is employed, does the employer know?

Upon this knowledge, according to science, depends the true physical and mental development of every child in the land. More: upon it depends the future of the nation—whether it shall be a nation of strong, vigorous and healthy men and women, or a nation of weaklings, of nervous and physical wrecks and mental incompetents.

You reply that you know the age of your child; there can be no question of it. But you know the age in years. And you train the child according to your knowledge of its age in years; it is placed in a kindergarten, or advanced in school, or employed according to its age in years. Doubtless you are ignorant of the tremendous and terrible wrong which has been done children for centuries because plans for life and development have been based upon the mere passing of time.

In our important and sacred duty to childhood, science declares, the most monu-

forer, them ahead in kindergartens and schools!

It is much, then, for the importance of knowing the value of grading a child and training it in accordance with its age—its actual age based upon its physical development.

For the last twenty years Dr. Thomas Morgan Rotch, professor of pediatrics at Harvard University, who for fifteen years has had charge of the clinic at the Children's Hospital, Boston, has conducted investigations to ascertain the actual, or anatomical, age of children.

The result of his careful and painstaking investigations among thousands of little ones has been an index to a child's actual age, which is ascertained by means of the Roentgen ray. The evolution of the principle by means of which a child's actual age can be determined is regarded as one of the most important findings of science as regards the training and rearing of children.

With knowledge of the system by legislators, lawyers, educators, school boards, and a practical application of it, Dr. Rotch believes that the heretofore difficult problems of a child's training and education, of proper athletics and of child labor can be solved correctly.

The system by which this heretofore inscrutable secret of childhood can be learned is simple.

Your child, or anybody's, is taken into a room fitted with an X-ray apparatus; its hand is placed on a table for a half minute; there is a flash of the ray, without harm or discomfort; the plate is developed; the bones of the wrist, metacarpals and phalanges are revealed, and the expert can tell you the child's actual age!

A moment, and the great mystery of childhood is known; a clear way on which the parent should guide the little one is revealed; a barrier which has caused generations of distress and pain is removed.

There is a discrepancy often, Dr. Rotch declares, of from one and a half to two years between a child's actual, or development, age and its age in years.

Thus one child of 10 may have the physical development of 8 years, and another that of 12 years. Children develop differently. In his investigations, Dr. Rotch found a child of 13 with the development of a child of 8.

Unless the actual development of the child is known, it is probably graded in school or placed at work according to its years. Thus, in states where the legal age for child employment is 10 years, many who go to work in mills are in reality only 8 years old. One needs no great degree of imagination to realize the tragedy of this system, to appreciate the number of young lives sacrificed to the Moloch of ignorance and greed.

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# THE TRAGEDY OF BURIAL ALIVE!



Miss Edith Curran Who Revived While Being Prepared for Burial

REFLECTING the world-wide apprehension of burial alive, the Assemblyman, Mr. Curran, introduced a bill in the New York legislature which provides that a person shall be buried only after a physician has examined the body and is satisfied that death is permanent. The bill also provides that a person shall be buried only after a physician has examined the body and is satisfied that death is permanent.

It will be a long time before the fear of being buried alive can be completely overcome. The case of Mrs. Rand, a widow of a wealthy man, who died in Milan, Italy, a few weeks ago, leaving an estate worth more than \$1,000,000, is a case in point. When her will was read it showed that Mrs. Rand had a great fear of being buried alive, for provision was made for the employment of every known scientific test of death before her burial. Her directions were carefully noted.

In John Dixwell of Harvard University, in speaking before the Massachusetts legislative committee on legal affairs during the consideration of a bill making proof of death compulsory, stated that the horror of premature burial had become so impressive in two instances of the Supreme Court of the United States that they had engaged him to guarantee that they should not be buried alive. Dr. Dixwell mentioned in identical terms many years ago he was himself almost dead by distinguished physicians and barely escaped a horrible fate.

**Fully Recovers**  
Such cases as that of Dr. Dixwell are frequently met with in the records. One of the most interesting of recent date was that of Miss Edith Curran of Red Bank, N. J. Her death came suddenly and a surgeon, in performing an autopsy, found in which she had passed on the condition of life. After the doctor had pronounced her dead an undertaker was sent for and the doctor tried to detect any possible signs of life, but there was no response to any of the usual tests. Then as the preparation of the body for embalming began the undertaker suddenly detected a slight movement of an eyelid.

With a cry he ran into the adjoining room and announced the news to the family. The undertaker, Mr. Curran, was told to seize the body of the woman and remove it from the place where it was being prepared. The body was found to be in a state of life and the woman was fully recovered.

**Narrow Escape**  
Mrs. James Waters of Lewistown, Pa. was equally fortunate. She was pronounced dead and her body was being prepared for burial. The undertaker, Mr. Curran, was told to seize the body of the woman and remove it from the place where it was being prepared. The body was found to be in a state of life and the woman was fully recovered.



Mrs. James Waters Who Revived After Being Prepared for Burial

Imaginative experience is given a number of well illustrated cases of which the following is one of the most interesting. One case of a very remarkable character and of which the undertaker may be fresh in the memory of some of our readers.



## PAT AND TEAMS WENT TO SLEEP IN STREET

Hostler and Ten Car Horses, Overcome by Morpheus, Made Policeman Blink.

NEW YORK Feb. 13.—Along in the early hours today Patrick McConerty, hostler at his post at First and Second streets, was sleeping soundly when a horse and carriage came along. The horse, a bay, was driven by a driver who was also sleeping. The horse and carriage were in the street and the driver was not paying attention to the traffic.

**Patrick Went to Sleep**  
The horse and carriage were in the street and the driver was not paying attention to the traffic. The horse and carriage were in the street and the driver was not paying attention to the traffic.

**Then the Horses Slept**  
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## The X-Ray Probe to Childhood's Secrets

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By what means could one accurately determine the development of children? How beyond peradventure of error could one "testify" stages of growth in order to regulate the life of childhood? What method would be unfailing?

## SOCIETY GIRL MARRIED TO POOR SALVATIONIST

BURLINGTON N. H. Feb. 13.—Good-looking popular and rich young man, looking for a wife, was married to a poor girl, the daughter of a poor man, who was a member of the Salvation Army. The girl was a member of the Salvation Army and was known as a "good girl" in the community.

## Policewomen Would Prevent All Political and Social Evils, Including Race Suicide, Says This Authority



**ONE WOMAN'S OPINION OF MANY MEN**  
A girl thinks a man has a poetic soul if her eyes are blue and that his favorite color is blue.

### To "Entertain" Children

If it is mildly suggested to Miss Goldie that she should "entertain" children, she will explain that it would be the duty of the policewomen not only to protect but to "entertain" our children as well.



## A black and white portrait of a man with a beard, wearing a high-collared coat, framed in an oval with a decorative border. The man is looking slightly to the left. The image has a grainy, high-contrast appearance.

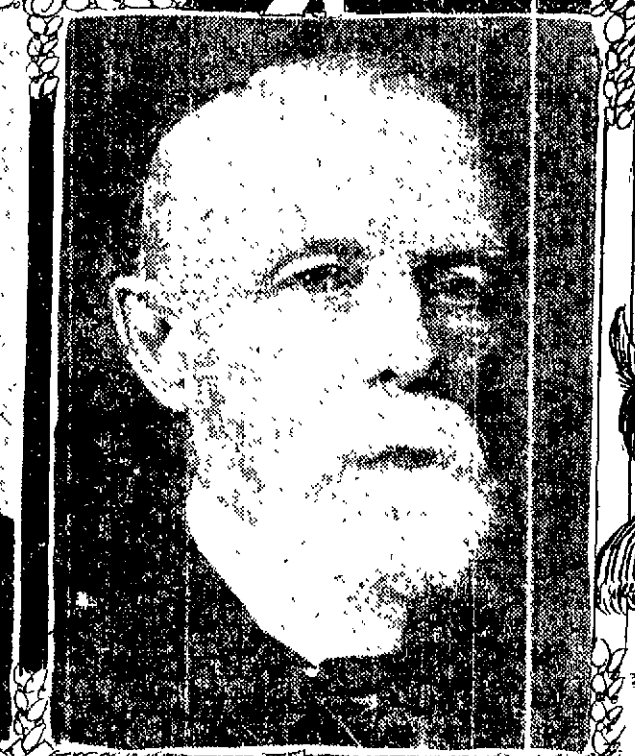
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Hall B. Rard of 916 Eighth street was born near Allentown, N. H., March 1, 1826. He came to Oakland in December, 1876, and has resided here ever since. He was a member

Major Edwin A. Sherman was born in North Bridgewater, Mass., and has reached his eightieth year. Major Sherman came by sea to Tampico.

**Pioneer Lumberman**

George R. Barnes was born in Keesville, N. Y., in 1822, and came to Oakland, via the Isthmus of Panama, in 1858. He established the Pioneer

lived to be 90 and his grandmother reached the great age of 99. Mr Robinson came to California in 1859 around the Horn. He has lived in Oakland for over thirty-two years.

### Member of Pioneers

William H. Krieger was born in Ger-

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—A special author's petition is being printed at the headquarters of the National Woman Suffrage Society, at No. 29 East 20th street. A fresh petition blank is being sent by mail to all the authors in the country.

and the signatures when they will be cut off and pasted together on the day of the presentation of it to Congress, this section of it was sent by some well known writers. It is headed by the William Dean Howells, who was to sign it. Others who have signed are Mark Twain, Julia Ward Howe, Hodgson Burnett, Stuart Phelps Ward, Booth Tarkington, Perkins Gilman, James King, Florence Morse Kingsley, Campbell, Ernest Harold Bayne, Clark A. Ober, Marietta Holt, Jane Allen, Charles Battell Loring, Tomson Seton, Grace Thompson Selous, David Graham Phillips, Rosemary Tappan, Agnes Gilchrist, Ellis Lida A. Church, Anna G. Hall, Mary Faxon Briggs, G. M. Dyer, Julia A. S. G. and others. Authors of works on reform and sociological studies represented there by Charles Edward Russell, W. H. Chant, Robert H. Adams, A. Florence Kelly. Of the writers whose signatures have been asked only two have thus far refused, Edith Wharton and Myra Kelly, found to be in Europe, so that their signatures could not be obtained. Many of the writers sent cordial notes of theirs. Booth Tarkington wrote: "I did glad in Indianapolis, am glad to vote again, and often for you." Edward Howard Griggs wrote: "It am happy to return the petition with my signature. I have been years a warm supporter of the suffrage, as I am a believer in any movement that tends to place the worth of men and women on a plane of equality."

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# Tells of Oakland's Early Days and Her Many Hardy Pioneers

## Newest Things in Science Which Upset Accepted Secular Ideas

(BY F. R. PORTER)

HOW few there are in Oakland who are aware that "Brooklyn" was annexed to this city in 1872. That district comprised the present Seventh Ward of this great municipality. It was composed thirty-seven years ago of "Clinton," "San Antonio" and "Lynn."

At that election in Brooklyn township, which added to Oakland the historic territory west of the Twenty-seventh avenue of today, the vote on annexation was 158 against 71. Oakland sought by virtue of that election of 1872 to absorb Alameda township that peninsula which limits confined a single community, the quietest and most homogeneous of Alameda. That township declined, to merge, it cast 47 ballots for the proposition and the "noes" totaled 111. The sentiment of opposition that was expressed then has remained ever since, although no other test has been made at the polls to elicit the soundness of that hostility.

It is now the common notion that Berkeley is averse to the plan to have it unite with Oakland. In January 1871, property owners of that region assembled to take steps to form a town. Horace W. Carpenter spoke at that meeting in advocacy of a blending of that section with Oakland. John W. Dwinelle took issue with Carpenter, and he argued for the spot to be kept out of the jaws of Oakland. In due time Berkeley was incorporated.

As to the possibility of a city and county of Oakland, I have heard that at a meeting of the Oakland City Council held on February 10, 1874, Mayor Henry Dwinelle recommended a division of the county of Alameda and the formation of the county of Oakland.

### Oakland's Early Days

Right here some little reference to Oakland's early days is of interest. The site of Oakland was a portion of the San Antonio ranch in 1850. In that year the real estate firm of Moon, Carpenter & Adams began operations in a little shack at the foot of the hill now called Broadway. Two of the partners in that business—A. Moon and Horace W. Carpenter—were lawyers. "Moon, Carpenter & Adams" was a keen judge of land values. The real estate firm of Moon, Carpenter & Adams was a keen judge of land values. The real estate firm of Moon, Carpenter & Adams was a keen judge of land values.

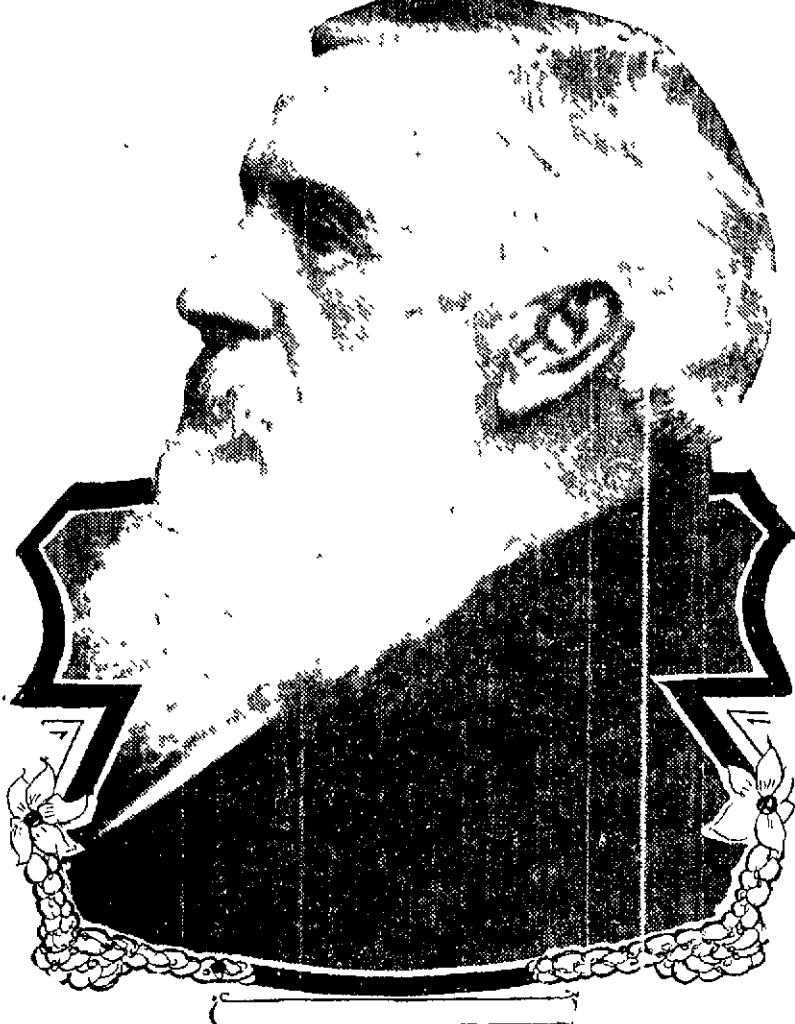
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### Horace W. Carpenter

In 1881 Da L. C. Bionerick got Horace W. Carpenter a job as enrolling clerk of the State Senate. Carpenter so managed matters that the Legislature changed the name of Contra Costa to "Oakland" and created a town from a village having less than one hundred inhabitants. The people of "Contra Costa" were amazed when told that Oakland was the new capital of the state.

### Alameda County Born

Carpenter was Assemblyman for Contra Costa county in 1885. It was through his efforts that the office of the county clerk was created.



STEPHEN T. GAGE

that first council the town clerk was elected and ordered to be spread upon the Journal. It was an act of the council to place the town of Oakland on the map. The council then proceeded to the construction of what is now called Broadway. Two of the partners in that business—A. Moon and Horace W. Carpenter—were lawyers.

### The Barrell Ordinance

Oakland at that time (1852) had for its northern frontier about where the modern Twentieth street passes. The San Antonio and Lynn were a family sprigged around town. Nobody who lived in that epoch except Captain J. Adams and one or two more supplied the population of the town.

It is the fact that Carpenter got county funds in a lump sum through the Barrell ordinance. The ordinance was passed by the council on April 18, 1854. It was a law that gave the county funds to the town of Oakland.

On April 18, 1854, the second meeting of the council of the new city of Oakland was held. The council then proceeded to the construction of what is now called Broadway. Two of the partners in that business—A. Moon and Horace W. Carpenter—were lawyers.

### Oakland's First Election

At the instigation of Carpenter, Oakland was incorporated as a city. He was chosen Mayor at the election in April 1854. He received 119 votes. The council then proceeded to the construction of what is now called Broadway. Two of the partners in that business—A. Moon and Horace W. Carpenter—were lawyers.

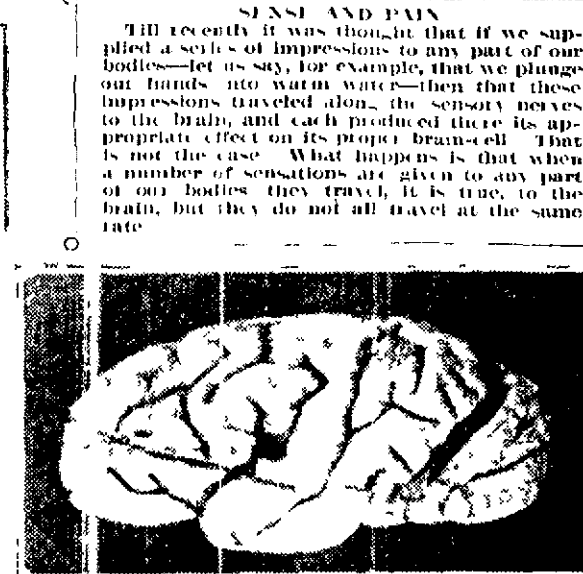
### Why One Brain Makes One Man a Scientific Giant and Another an Athletic Genius



BRAIN OF MR. THOMAS BARBAGI, FRS. The brain weighed in the about 52.1 oz. which is about the average, but it is remarkable for its high degree of symmetry.



MR. THOMAS BARBAGI, FRS. Mr. Barbagi was a mathematician of European reputation. He invented an elaborate calculating machine which is preserved at South Kensington.



BRAIN OF A MICROPHALOUS IDIOT. The whole brain weighs about one-fourth of the ordinary adult brain. Its owner had no power of speech.

### Sensory Signals

We will assume that the people who are called "scientific giants" are those who have a high degree of symmetry in their brains. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### Nerve Telephones

Thus, in the case of the "scientific giants," the nerve telephones are in a state of high efficiency. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### Sense and Pain

It is a fact that the "scientific giants" have a high degree of symmetry in their brains. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### A Contrast in Brains

With a brain of such a high degree of symmetry, the "scientific giants" are able to perform feats of scientific achievement. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### Protective Mimicry

One of the most fascinating avenues of inquiry open to the scientific investigator is the study of protective mimicry. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### Brain Sections

The purpose of this investigation is to study the brain of the "scientific giants." This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### Women's Car

Subway Lines Is the Latest

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—A novel proposition that of reserving the car for women is being made by the New York City Transit Commission. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

### Poet Laureate of Suffragettes a Man

CHICAGO.—After consulting more than 100 poets sent for selection to the United States, the judges of the \$100 prize offered by the Chicago Suffragette League have selected a man as the poet laureate of the movement. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

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## The Water Front

At that meeting of April 18, 1854, the council of the new city of Oakland was held. The council then proceeded to the construction of what is now called Broadway. Two of the partners in that business—A. Moon and Horace W. Carpenter—were lawyers.

## The Morrow Finding

As is known to many people, Oakland renewed litigation after 1885 with the hope to make the 1852 Carpenter grant. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

## Grant Is Upheld

The Oakland City Council of 1885 was anti-Carpenter and had still brought to the waterfront. This is a fact that is well known to all who have studied the subject.

## The Ansonia

Broadway at 73d Street, New York

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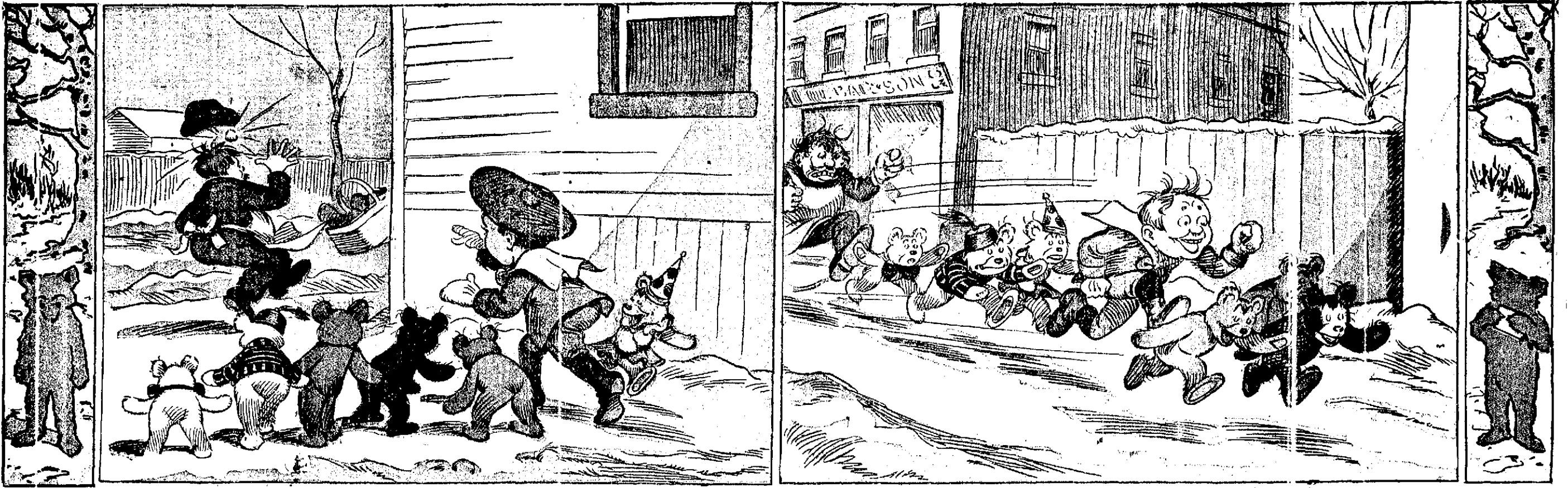
## 306 San Pablo Avenue

next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, where you can hear all about the country and see 150 fine views illustrating its beauties and advantages.



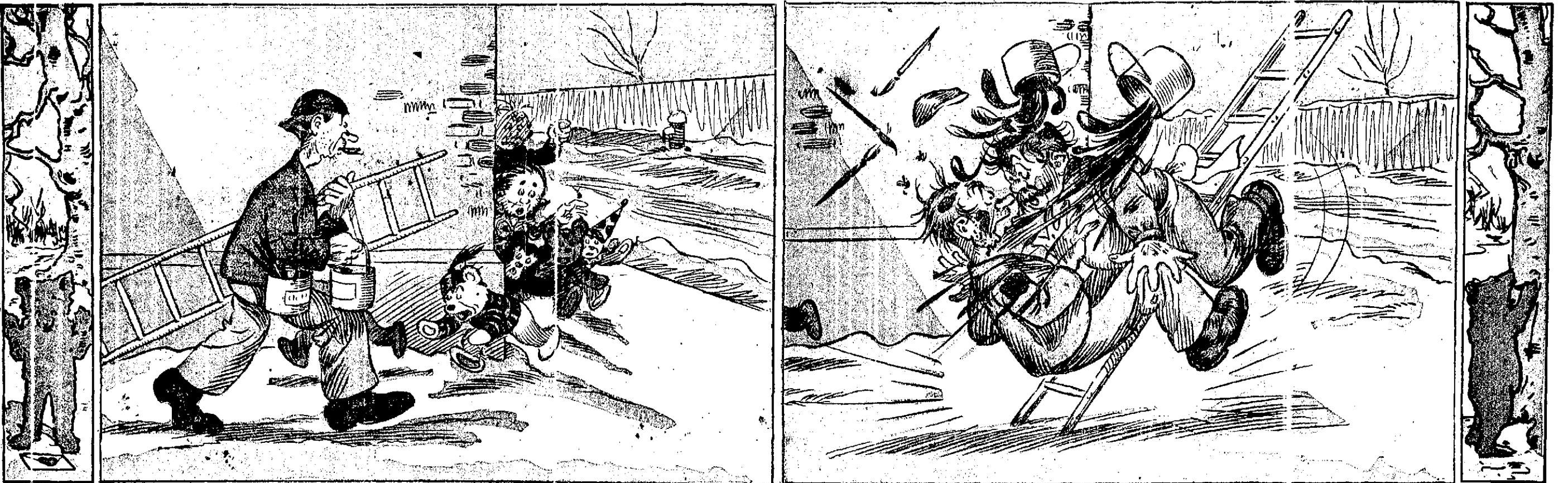






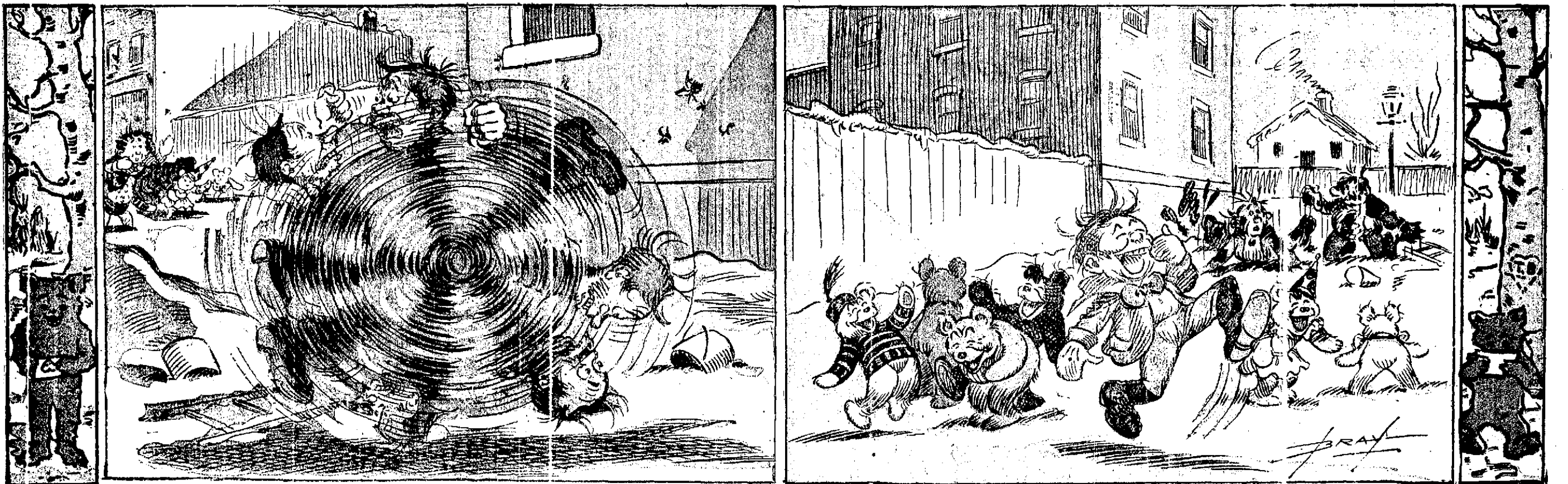
1. John and the Teds were throwing snow  
And having heaps of fun, I know;  
But as the grocer hove in view  
John's snowball hit him hard and true.

2. And with the usual result!  
Like stones flung from a catapult  
John and the bears rush off in haste,  
Once more by some poor victim chased.



3. Around the block they madly rush  
And meet a painter with his brush.  
He looks at them with smiles and stares—  
"By gum! Just see those Teddy Bears!"

4. Meanwhile the victim's gotten closer,  
And whiz! the painter strikes the grocer.  
Off fly the cans of paint and things  
As if they had the gift of wings.



5. The Teds, relieved of fear, stand by  
And watch the fur and feathers fly.  
The victims, wild with indignation,  
Indulge in dreadful altercation.

6. But if they'd only stop to see,  
They'd witness peals of joy and glee.  
Indeed, indeed, I hope they do,  
And spank the Tedds and Johnny, too



OAKLAND, CAL., SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1909

### The Smartest Fashions of Well-Dressed Folk.



#### An Idyl of St. Valentine

**D**EAREST MADGE: You know it has been my custom ever since I was a little girl to spend St. Valentine's Day with Beatrice Wilson.

As the 14th falls upon Sunday this year, and we really have a conscience about delegating our husbands to clubs or elsewhere on their one week's holiday, we have planned our celebration for Monday. We shall regale ourselves upon our very best tea gowns to spend the day in ideal luxury. Our friendship has been of long standing, and we always enjoy these pleasant days together.

I have learned that our husbands mean to be most attentive and lavish upon us flowers as in their courting days. In fact, I discovered in Jack's desk the most adorable, old-fashioned paper lace valentine, with a huge red heart and huge blue ribbon bow! Now, I know that is for me! I heard him at the telephone, too, ordering violets.

Beatrice's favorites are La France roses. Of course, she will receive those, so she has posed her gown accordingly. You know we always arrange our dresses on this day of days with the greatest care. We insist that the ordinary house gown is far too quiet for our "day of luxuries."

I shall wear a new pink chiffon cloth, with an empire waist line held in with soft pink satin. A V-shaped neck is filled in with a little line of baby Irish lace, which also appears under the pleat at the side and at the half sleeves. The front of the gown is cut up toward the knee and filled in with ruffles and ruffles of softest chiffon, while the chiffon cloth is decorated around this opening with a few hand-painted roses, which also extend around the whole train of the gown. As Beatrice's boudoir is finished in pink, you may imagine it matches beautifully. You must see this new gown of mine—it is a dream!

Beatrice has a gown of yellow silk muslin, finished round the top with embroidered net. The waist line is girded with a soft yellow chiffon sash, while the sleeves are long and close fitting.

Don't you envy our day of leisure? One might call it masterly inactivity. You have no idea how much fun we can have sitting before the open fire admiring our valentines, exchanging secrets and pretending we are girls again.

Always devotedly,

ELEANOR.







## SOCIETY



MISS JEANETTE DOUB



MISS JULIA KEIFER.

—Scharz Photo.

**T**HEIR is an old and faithful friend of the student of which expression is just the motto in this man's life.

It is easy enough to be pleasant when the flow of life is strong. But the woman worth while is the woman who will smile when the flow of life is dead.

There is a lot more of the poet in the woman worth while than in the woman who will smile when the flow of life is dead.

I have known girls who were not at all attractive as far as personal appearance went, who had none of the graces and charms that make girls the attractive creatures they are, and yet who had all the friends they could possibly want.

Of course it is hard to be always smiling and always sunny and always pleasant, but there is nothing like such a disposition for winning friends and popularity and love.

We have had especial need of making an effort for a sunny disposition this winter for the only sun line visible has been that radiated by the happy folks among our acquaintances.

The merry round of enjoyment continues in spite of the rainfall no strain seeming severe enough to prevent our merriment and merriment from attending the numerous affairs with which the days are crowded until the advent of Lent.

Tomorrow's calendar is filled with the most pretentious event of the day being the wedding of Miss Gertrude and Miss Davis which will be solemnized at the First Presbyterian Church at 9 o'clock.

Another wedding of the week will be that of Wednesday when Miss Lillian Pemberton, the pretty fiancée of Dr. Albert Good, will be united in matrimony.

Miss Harry Maxwell will preside over a large party tomorrow which is to be given in honor of Miss Lillian Pemberton, the pretty fiancée of Dr. Albert Good.

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Bread and rolls, pies, cakes and all the rest of our baking bring by to every palate, nourishment and strength to every eater. Take a little of our bread in your hand, look at it, smell it, taste it, and you will find it is just what you need. It is a mouthful and every sense will tell of triumph of our baking.

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## TREAT FOR MUSIC LOVERS

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# The Box from HOME

In preparing for Christmas the mothers who have had experience along this dark-blue line have held back a few things which but for that wise forethought, would have gone into the array of holiday gifts that made glad the

A few months in a number of years broken all four girth it. Here I was almost penniless the schoolroom and

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was among strangers and  
I should not go back to  
I knew no other world

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garments of mirth and laughter  
 Hardly a day passes in which I do not  
 find some such remark. "Thank you!"  
 I cannot go to you on that day. My in-  
 law's here afternoon out or 'I can't in-  
 vite you to dinner on Thursday. That is

the subject is one with interest and  
support for each of us

left-over macaroni (a left-  
Welsh rarebit, canned peaches  
and cream cake tea.

DINNER  
soup, brook pigeons (rolled  
stewed celery stringbeans,  
ling with liquid sauce, black

WEDNESDAY  
BRIFKFAST  
Baked apples and cereal with cream, milk  
mashed with cream (left over) coffee  
quites, toast tea and coffee

LUNCHEON  
Scrambled eggs and mushrooms (from yes-  
terday's salad) stewed potatoes buttered  
graham bread toast crackers and cheese

DINNER  
Soup a la Russe with poached eggs or  
to beafstea and corned beef, spinach,  
cheesnut souffie and sponge cake, black  
coffee

THURSDAY  
BREAKFAST  
Cinnamon cereal and cream, mince of  
liver in toast (a left over) muffins tea and  
coffee

LUNCHEON  
Teet stew (brown a left over) onion  
soup (a left over) fried mush, apple  
pie and cake tea

DINNER  
Spinach soup a la rousse (a left over),  
steak with bread sauce (sauce, mash-  
ed turnip) charcuton baked with cheese,  
rice pudding with hard sauce, black cof-  
fee

FRIDAY  
BRIFKFAST  
Cinnamon cereal and cream  
mince in toast tea and  
coffee

LUNCHEON  
Eggs and apple cakes, ariddle cakes  
and cornb toasts chocolate cake

DINNER  
Vegetable soup a la rousse baked lettuce  
with pork lettuce salad, mince of fried  
steak with the salad, caramel cake  
fruit and cake black coffee

SATURDAY  
BRIFKFAST  
Cinnamon cereal and cream  
mince in toast tea and coffee

LUNCHEON  
Cold tongue (a left over) baked pork and  
cabbage graham bread toast tea and coffee

lettuce (a left-over macaroni (a left-over) baked Welsh rarebit, canned peaches (home made) and cream cake tea.

DINNER

Yesterday's soup, brock, pigeons (rolled veal chops) stewed celery stringbeans, custard pudding with liquid sauce, black coffee.



## *What Is Going on in the Various Organizations of the County.*

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undained women are not and they  
are demanding to be made regular  
preachers

annual dance February 17 in Enclinal Hall  
Alameda. The arrangement committee,  
composed of C. J. Dowdall, J. H. Wein-  
stock and F. J. Lillman are making ex-  
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presented is a dance. The guests at the  
assisted in receiving the guests at the  
pretty wedding ceremony

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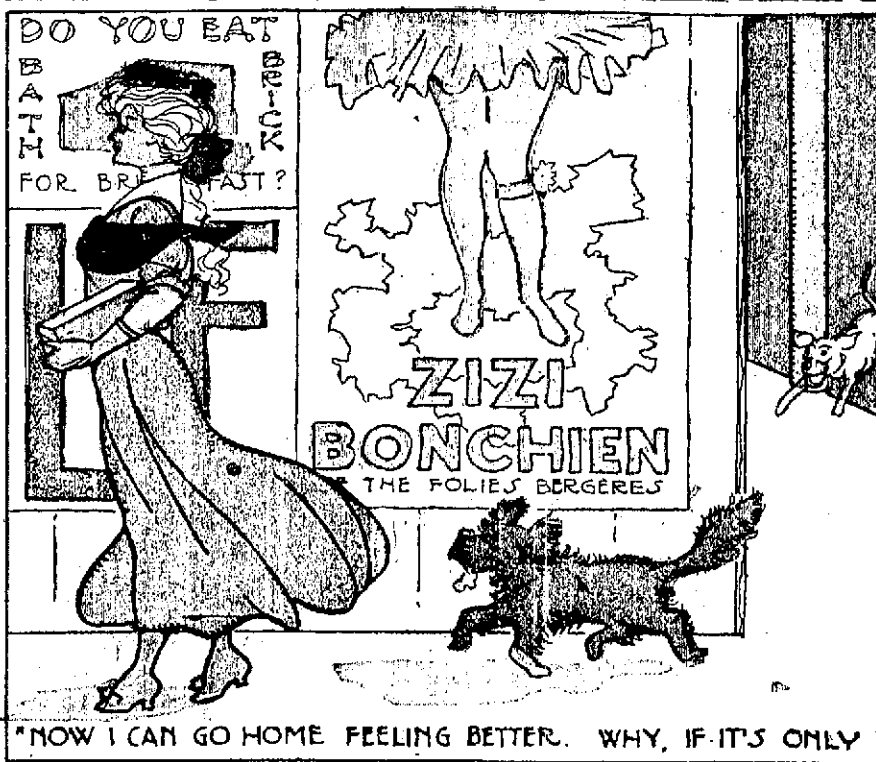
AT HOME

Mrs Henry F Dalton wishes to an-  
nounce to her many friends that she will  
be at home the first and third Wednes-  
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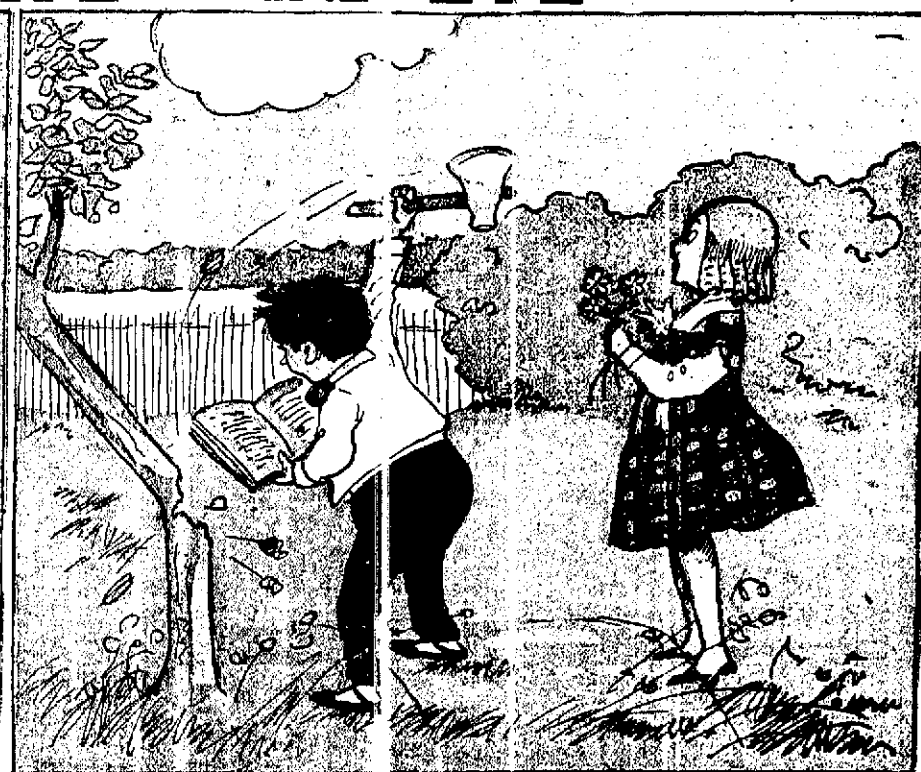
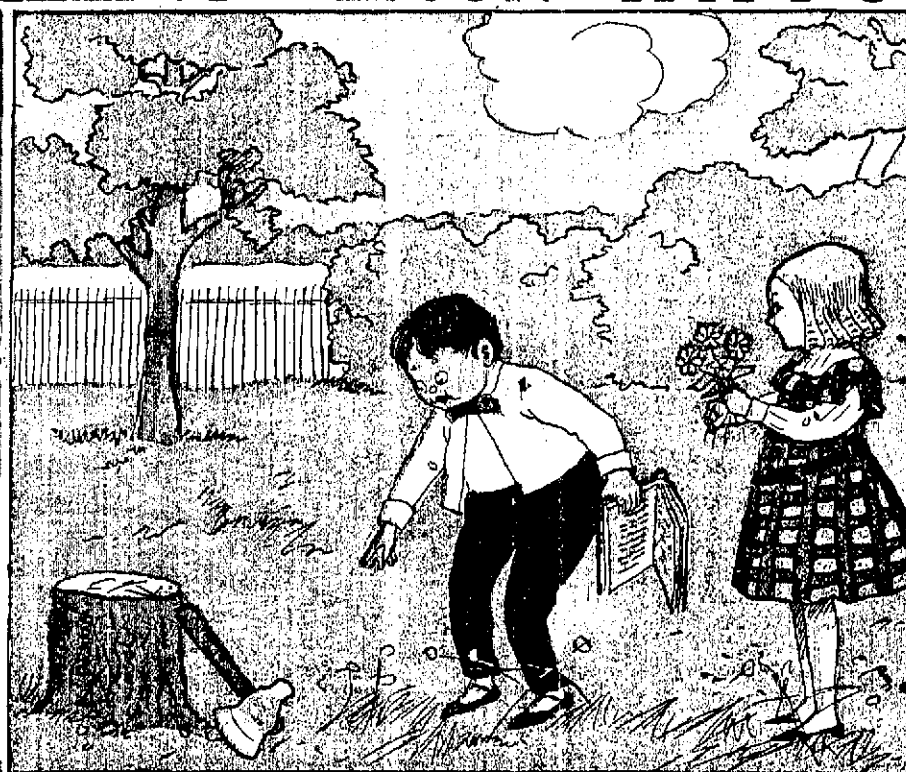
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## TED'S OBJECT SPELLING LESSON--H-A-T-C-H-E-T AND L-I-E





## Stockton Surrounds It

**STOCKTON, Feb. 13.**—Had it not been for the breaking of Beaver creek river with Mormon channel Stockton would have experienced one of the worst floods in its history. By this narrow margin the business and main residential districts escaped. All the low and partially low districts, both south, north, west and with the flood.

The breaching of the dam diverted the water into California river, flowing on its south bank about eight miles from Stockton, and flooded vineyard and grain lands. Stockton is practically surrounded by water and dry.

Mormon channel reached its highest point between midnight and dawn within half an inch of breaching over an emergency levee and flooding the city.



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## GOOD FELLOW'S SAD CAREER IS REVIVED

Sister of "Prince of Frisco,"  
Who Died Insane, Seeks  
Property

CLAIMS FRED ANDREWS  
WAS VICTIM OF A PLOT

Was Robbed of Valuable Los  
Angeles Real Estate, Al-  
leges Mrs. Saunders

LOS ANGELES Feb. 13.—In the belief that she will be able to establish title to valuable real estate in Los Angeles, that was once held by her brother, Fred B. Andrews, known in his lifetime as the "Prince of Frisco," Mrs. M. Saunders of Portland, Ore., is in Los Angeles and has begun the quest with the claims will make her independently rich.

### Mrs. Saunders' Story

The story told by Mrs. Saunders deals with alleged plots against her brother while the latter was incarcerated in a sanitarium for the insane, during which time she alleges he needed about eleven lots in the Washington, Blvd. and Williamson tracts. "This was about 1902 and it was not until a recent visit to Frisco," said Mrs. Saunders, "behind the scenes of the existence of the property in this city, part of which she claims remains in her brother's name, the remainder being in that of other parties.

### Reads Like Fiction

"Could I tell the full story of how my brother, known as the 'Prince of Good Fellow,' been so physically incompetent, was then taken from her, incarcerated in an insane asylum, and through a chain of events, died at the county hospital in San Francisco eight years ago, it would sound like one of Charles Reade's stories," said Mrs. Saunders, "behind the scenes of the existence of the property in this city, part of which she claims remains in her brother's name, the remainder being in that of other parties.

### Andrews a Spender

Fred Andrews was known in Los Angeles as one of the jolly fellows about town and his ability to spend money secured for him the title of "The Prince of Frisco." On the recommendation of the late Detective Glass, his sister, who claims to have at that time been the wife of Arthur Kohn, the merchant prince of Portland, Ore., Andrews went north, soon afterwards being placed in a sanitarium. It was while thus incompetent, Mrs. Saunders claims, that the scheme was set on foot to deprive him of his property.

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## CLEARANCE PRICES

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## LINOLEUMS

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## Pretty Society Maids to Take Part in the Kirmess



ENID GREGG



MISS JANET KLINK

MISS ALMA BIRMINGHAM

Society on both sides of the bay is looking forward to the program of the Kirmess, which promises to be a notable social event scheduled to take place in the Central theater in San Francisco, February 17, 18, 19, 20, for the benefit of the Children's Hospital and the San Francisco Maternity Home. The leading society women of San Francisco are to act as patronesses at the performance, which will be given by members of the exclusive social set.

The festival, as the Kirmess is commonly called, will be unique in the annals of San Francisco society.

### Pretty Girls in Tableau

Kirmess dancing will be the feature of the Kirmess. Pretty and talented girls of the smart set will be seen in tableau. They will also dance Scotch reels, Highland fling, Irish harp, Italian war, Perle and the Marseilles National. Among the many pretty dancers are Miss Enid Gregg, who will dance in the Italian Tarentella.

Miss Alma L. Birmingham and Miss Janet A. Klink will give the light fantastic in the Irish Harp dance.

The beautiful and graceful young wo-

## WOE DARKENS HOUSE OF FROHMAN

Margaret Illington to Sue The-  
atrical Magnate for  
Divorce

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upon. Mrs. Frohman is taking the step that any good woman has the right to take. She has quit the stage forever, her career is no longer before the footlights.

### Will Not Discuss Marriage.

"Is it your intention to marry Miss Illington when her divorce has been secured?" was asked of Mr. Bowes. "I cannot say what my future may bring," was his reply. "It is rather a delicate question for me to answer. I have known Miss Illington for some time, and we are friends. To say that I am engaged to her would be ridiculous and highly improper, as she has not yet secured a divorce. I can only reiterate in answer to your question of a marriage between myself and Miss Illington that it is a matter that the future holds and which I must refuse to discuss."

Miss Illington arrived here a week ago. Edward J. Bowes, who at present is engaged in large real estate enterprises in Tacoma and who is interested with John H. Spring, the Fruitvale banker, and other local capitalists, arrived here shortly after Miss Illington's appearance.

The fact that Miss Illington remained out here for two weeks started the whisper that she had become estranged from Daniel Frohman.

### Bowes Is Popular.

Bowes is well known in San Francisco as a real estate man, clubman and an athlete. At the time of the fire he organized a real estate company and interested the demand for houses on Van Ness avenue acquired many along that thoroughfare and is said to have made considerable money. He is a popular fellow in the Family Club, a well-known club of the city and has gained considerable popularity as a member of the famous Andrews grand has some time ago been reported engaged in business there returning shortly before the arrival here of Margaret Illington upon whom he has been a devoted attendant.

## THIRD DEGREE GIVEN SICA OVER DEAD MAN'S CORPSE

Awful Test Fails to Move Alleged Slayer

NEW YORK Feb. 13.—Newark detectives put Nicholas Sica, suspected of the murder of Frank Wilhelm, the husband of the woman who was found dead in his home in High street Monday night, through a remarkable "third degree" test early today in the city. They took the suspected man to the scene of the crime and suddenly confronted him with Wilhelm's body.

The test was unsuccessful. They might as well have shown Sica a pile of hay for all the emotion aroused in him. He was pulled and hauled and questioned, but maintained a calm demeanor and went back to the cell at daylight smiling at the baffled detectives.

Previously the ambitious detectives had aroused Mrs. Wilhelm from sleep, hurried her to the morgue and brought her in close proximity to the corpse of her murdered husband. Beyond giving her an attack of hysteria this drastic feat was of no effect.

As soon as Mrs. Wilhelm had been taken from the morgue, Wilhelm's body was loaded into a wagon and taken to his late home at No. 118 High street. The detectives placed their ghastly burden in the basement of the floor at the exact point where it was found on Monday evening by the widow.

### At Scene of Crime

Then they brought Sica to the house, admitted him through the rear basement door, walked him into the passageway in pitch darkness and suddenly unmasked a bright light.

So close to him he could have touched it with his foot, Sica saw the corpse of the man the police say he murdered. He did not flinch or show any more emotion than a horse the slanders piled him with interrogations or heaped him with accusations. They could not disturb his calm. He maintained that when the corpse was taken to the morgue he was in the basement of the floor at the exact point where it was found on Monday evening by the widow.

The Newark police received a letter from Mrs. Frank Wilhelm, of 227 East Eighth street, who says she is the wife of the man who was murdered. His story is true Wilhelm was a bigamist.

### New Woman in Case

This woman is janitor of a flat-house at the Eighth street address. She is a comely, modest little woman with two children, one thirteen and one twelve years old.

A reporter learned from her that she was married on November 24, 1884, to Rev. Emil Henry in Jersey City to Frank Wilhelm, who had a restaurant on Houston street. His right name, she says, was Frank Wilhelm Quendorf, and he was from Hohenberg, Germany.

After two years her husband deserted her, taking with him in his flight a woman she had known as "Anna," whom he had introduced into his own home. She was as his sister-in-law. His desertion followed the discovery by his wife of the real relations existing between him and his bogus relative.

The deserted wife heard a couple of years later that her husband was living in Newark. She often thought of looking him up, but was so busy taking care of her two babies that she could not spare the time. And the railroad fare to Newark was always an obstacle that loomed large in her financial vision.

### Third Degree for Widow

She will go to Newark this afternoon to look at the body of the dead man. The Newark police will delay the funeral until after her arrival.

The Newark Mrs. Wilhelm was taken to see the body. "Oh, darling! Oh, Frank! If you could only speak and tell them who did this!"

Mrs. Wilhelm came close to the body and leaned down to kiss her dead hus-

### Stands the Test

They made her go deep into her love affair with Sica and tell of every incident leading up to the divorce she had planned to get from her husband, so that she could marry her lover. She was given the property of her husband, which was in her name, and it is said that she revealed matters which the detectives regard as of great importance.

For more than an hour the woman was questioned as she stood over the body of her husband. Then Tulsa seemed satisfied, and Mrs. Wilhelm was led forth and bundled into the cab, and a few minutes later she sank, emotional and trembling, on her feet in the cell.

## Edna Wallace Hopper

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until the 25th. The witnesses were Miss Leona Anderson, Mr. Louis Ginter Young, and Mr. Dennis O'Brien, Miss Hopper's attorney and personal adviser. It was he who picked out the home of Justice White for the secret marriage. Mr. White being an old-time friend.

Mr. Brown was seen about noon by a reporter. He was in the apartments of his wife and self and talked very freely about the marriage. He said:

### Are Very Happy

"Yes, it is quite true that Miss Hopper and I were married last November. The certificate, which I have with me, gives the date and the witnesses, and there is really little to say about the affair other than we are very glad to announce our secret. We believe we shall be very happy. At least, we have been so far, and I really see no reason why we should not continue so."

Miss Hopper said: "We did not announce the marriage at the time it took place, because of the publicity in which we were figuring at the time, because of an automobile given me by Mr. Brown and an insurance policy presented me at the time we were engaged. We made up our minds to tell the smart reporters and have a good joke on them. We now consider that they have been tricked good and plenty, and we like this dignified means of announcing the marriage."

### Not Honeymoon

"Mr. Brown reached here this morning and will spend some time with me on the tour I am now making. No, it is not our honeymoon. We have had that already, but this is something of a public honeymoon, as a matter of fact, though, isn't it?"

Mr. Brown said he did not care to discuss his business affairs, because he was too happy to give thought to them and too busy enjoying himself. And, he added:

"Besides, there is really nothing to say about business after all."

What wouldn't Congress do to the President were it backed by the country at large!

## POPULAR OAKLAND JURIST BOWS AT HYMEN'S SHRINE.



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Manager Shannon says there will be something doing in the fastest line next Wednesday evening at the West Oakland Casino. The program of local talent, taken on "Montana" Jack Sullivan in the main event for six rounds. Both fighters are of the aggressive type and the 15 pounds will put up an exhibition satisfactory to the most delicate epicurean of the boxing game. It has not been forgotten yet that some time back Sullivan fought a twenty-round draw with the mighty Ketchel.

The next event of importance will be the fight between Antonio Ingrave and Willie Perall at 135 pounds. The other bouts will be McCarthy vs. Kid Miller at 128 pounds, Dick Richards vs. Al Hoffman at 125 pounds, and Freddie Cuthbert vs. Tony Carl at 115 pounds.

## CONGRESS MISSED BEING DEMOCRATIC

Representative Lamar Says  
Hearst Bill Should Have  
Gone Through

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—"Had the Fifty-eighth Congress passed the amendment to the interstate commerce law introduced by William R. Hearst of New York, the present effectiveness of the railroad rate law would not exist," said Representative B. Lamar in the House today. "Had the Democrats in that Congress," he continued, "endorsed the Hearst bill and forced from the Republicans a negative vote on the proposition of the bill, the Fifty-ninth Congress would have been Democratic instead of Republican." Lamar urged the immediate passage of the remedial legislation contemplated in the Hearst bill prohibiting hidden rates and the excessive charges, and requiring uniform classification of freight and review of rates before becoming effective. He suggested legislation disqualifying for membership in Congress all attorneys representing railroads or public service corporations in any capacity, as necessary to secure the passage of the remedial legislation demanded by the country.

### Law Is Arraigned

Martin B. Madden of Chicago, following Lamar, made a strong arraignment of the law for permitting the advance in rates through a complex system of classification, one of which there is no effective supervision.

"Two years ago or more," said Lamar, "before the passage of the so-called Hepburn railroad rate law, I earned that piece of legislation a delusion and a snare. I meant then that it would not give the producers, the consumers and the shippers in the United States relief from unjust and unreasonable rates of charges by the railroads of the country. I meant then and foresaw that the existence of that piece of legislation, incomplete as it was, would be used as a basis for delay for enacting full and remedial legislation."

### Prediction Fulfilled

"My prediction has been fulfilled. Same time in February, 1904, a member of this House from New York (Mr. Hearst) introduced a bill into this House to enlarge the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission. This was six or seven months prior to the remarkable message of President Roosevelt to the Fifty-eighth Congress on the same subject."

"But Mr. Hearst's bill was far more remedial and to the benefit of the shippers than even the President's recommendation in the message."

"And yet the President's message went far beyond the Democratic caucus bill or the Republican caucus bill in remedial effect. The Hearst bill prohibited the infamous midnight rate."

"I put the private refrigerator cars of the beef packers under the control of the law to prevent the shippers from being charged the excessive rates of the commission power over the classification of freight rates. It prevented an increase of rates without the consent of the commission before first had."

## ACKLING HEN CAUSE OF WOMAN'S \$200 FINE

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 13.—On charges furnished by a hen, Fannie Smith was convicted of running a "blind," and fined \$200. Detectives had been watching the Smith woman, but failed to trap her until Sunday. They searched the house, with the exception of one room, but found no liquor. The woman alleged that the room not searched was occupied by a lodger, who was not at home. Detectives, however, entered the room and found great quantities of liquor in a closet.

Mrs. Smith said the whiskey must belong to her lodger, as she knew nothing about it. While the woman and the detectives were arguing a cackling hen came out. The detectives investigated and found a nest containing eggs, one freshly laid. The detectives arrested Mrs. Smith on a trap for the recorder held that the presence of the hen and nest in the closet proved that the woman knew the whiskey was there.

Over 5000 cats have been shipped from Chicago to Japan for the purpose of introducing their own special brand of trouble to the rat family. Chicago hasn't missed them.

## Little Grey Father Dies at St. Ignatius

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—It was with great surprise and deep regret that the Catholics of this city received the news of the death of the Rev. Theophorus J. Masini, Society of Jesus, of heart disease last Thursday evening in his home at St. Ignatius College. The body lies in state in church, where it will remain until the funeral tomorrow at 9 o'clock. Following a solemn requiem high mass which will be celebrated by the rect of the Rev. Joseph Scala, S. J., of St. Ignatius church, the body will be taken to Santa Clara and interred in the community cemetery near Santa Clara college.

## Advance Waist Styles at Cosgrave's, OAKLAND



Hundreds of the newest Spring Waist Novelties have been arriving at COSGRAVE'S, Oakland, in the last few days. Exclusive dressers who have had a "peep" at this choice selection of new Waists have expressed their admiration in very warm terms. In fact, this exclusive store will make a special bid for the Waist trade of Oakland. Exclusive quality models at moderate prices. Net Lingerie and Silk Evening Waists; also strictly tailored models of correct style.

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From all parts of California and the Pacific Coast hundreds are coming to consult with these eminent men. Fer-Don's great success is not local. He treats more people living away from Oakland than he does at home here.

### FRESNO WOMAN COMES.

All the way from Fresno to consult with the Great Fer-Don's European Medical Experts and Bloodless Surgeons came Mrs. Fred Leffen of the Rain City. "I am so positive that your medical experts can relieve me," volunteered Mrs. Leffen in speaking to Fer-Don, "that I have come this distance to see them. The doctors in my home town who have been treating me and who wanted to operate on me told me I was a fool to come up here to Oakland to see you." Mrs. Leffen had a consultation with the European Doctors and Bloodless Surgeons and was relieved to ascertain that she could be cured of her ailment without the use of a knife. At 3 p. m. on Friday she took one dose of medicine given her by these wonderful healers, and yesterday morning she had passed over 100 gall stones from her system. In speaking of her case to a reporter she said: "I am deeply grateful to the Great Fer-Don and his staff of Medical Experts for the benefit I have received and particularly for the quickness and dispatch with which my case was treated, and furthermore, for the uniform courtesy I have received from them."

### ANOTHER ONE HELPED.

Mrs. Michalis of 203 1/2 Second street, Oakland, was a prey to drooping paralysis, which had made such ravages on her system that her left arm and leg were entirely useless. After visiting the offices of these marvelous Experts in Medicine and Surgery and consulting with a few treatments, the woman is happily on her way to a permanent cure.

So it goes, the lame, the halt, the deaf, the sufferers from tumors, cancers, paralysis, rheumatism, hip joint disease, etc., are benefited and cured by the Great Fer-Don and his European Medical Experts and Bloodless Surgeons. At 1069 Broadway, their down-town offices and reception rooms, the crowds come daily, over a hundred people waiting this morning for the arrival of the doctors.

## TAFT PLEASED WITH GATUN DAM SITE

Experts Still Disagree Over the Feasibility of Great Engineering Work

### GOETHALS DECLARES: "THERE IS NO DANGER"

President-Elect Spends Ten Hours Inspecting Site of Canal's Big Problem

(By WILLIAM HOSTER, who accompanied President-elect Taft on his trip of inspection to Panama.)  
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—For practically ten hours during his inspection of the Panama canal the President-elect and his party walked and rode over the region around and about the site of the Gatun dam and locks.

Here is the greatest problem of the inter-oceanic canal: From Lemon bay, the Atlantic entrance, to Gatun, the canal will run at a level of 85 feet. It is proposed to erect a gigantic dam, one mile across a valley which opens up between the hills at this point, vaulting in the valley and creating in its place through a diversion of the waters of the Chagres river and tributary streams, a lake whose ultimate proportions will be upwards of 200 square miles. To the level of this lake ships will be raised by a series of three locks, totaling a height of eighty-five feet, whence they will proceed a distance of thirteen miles; then through the famous Culebra cut and on to Pedro Miguel, whence another lock will drop the ships thirty-five feet, whence they will proceed to Miraflores, where a flight of two more locks will drop them down to the level of the Pacific ocean.

### Engineers Differ

Though the dam at Gatun will be a mile across and half a mile in thickness, engineering opinion has divided over the question of the safety of the dam and refuse to come to an agreement. One body of the world's eminent engineers, and it may be well admitted, the larger half, contend that, even though safeguarded by a thickness of half a mile, the pressure of the water in the manufactured lake will be irresistible and ultimate catastrophe will come. The other contention, of course, is that with the feet—that is, either end of the dam, built of rock, and the intervening space of 1200 feet filled with silt, the dam will be absolutely safe. In the lay mind it may be said that the latter contention seems the most plausible. The ordinary mind cannot grasp a proposition tending to prove that anything short of a convulsion of nature could beat down a wall half a mile in thickness.

### Dam Damaged

It is likely, however, there occurred recently an accident, the lower part of the dam which revolved all of the fears that had been expressed concerning a lock canal, and seemed to give particular point to the charge that the dam would not be safe with the mass of water that will be accommodated behind it. In brief, a portion of the rock which had been piled up as a foundation for the lock—on the side of the dam nearest the lake—either in or slid away, and the experts who had predicted disaster pointed to the slide as a confirmation of their fears. It was out of the slide that the visit of President-elect Taft was born. The purpose being, as he explained, to make a thorough investigation of the dam site and all the features of the work to ascertain whether any weaknesses had arisen since the lock canal was decided upon to render a change of plans necessary or desirable.

### To Make Report

President Roosevelt appointed the engineering commission and they will possibly report to him before he retires from office. Regarding the canal as the chief problem of the administration, the President-elect accompanied the engineers to Panama to go over the work thoroughly before entering upon the Presidency on March 4.

On Sunday these engineers (four of whom are said to have been produced against the lock canal) paid a visit to the site of Gatun dam and, as already reported, reached an unanimous conclusion that an only one—namely, the dam and the entire lock system feasible and practical, but that, with particular reference to the Gatun dam itself, it is perfectly safe and that more precautions have been taken to make it safe than the conditions really demand.

### Taft Visits Dam Site

Under these circumstances, then, the President-elect visited the dam site to make a personal inspection. The engineers accompanied him. The chief object of attention, of course, was the point on the top of the dam where the slide occurred.

To the unpracticed, inexperienced eye it undoubtedly looks serious. About the center of a rocky foundation sixty feet high there is a depression of about ten feet, twenty feet across semi-circular in formation, which beyond a doubt looks as though it had sunk of its own weight. The suggestion of the opponents of the dam that the underlying soil is not strong enough to support the dam and will give way under pressure is clear enough. But there is another side to the matter. I asked Colonel Goethals what he thought of it.

### "No Danger," He Says

Has never regarded it as important. "The slide was not a serious matter. As a matter of fact, we have had five of the same kind. It was to be expected. The foundation was piled up here loosely, because the intervening space that you see here," pointing to the gap of 1200 feet between the two walls of the dam, "is to be filled with silt, which is impervious to water. Had there been any support for the rock foundation the slide would not have occurred. It would have been held up, the pressure being supported on all sides. There will be absolutely no danger of any slide when the construction of the dam is completed."

Looked at from this viewpoint, the problem assumes a different aspect. Consider this, also: Colonel Goethals is in charge of the work. He has investigated fully the underlying soil; he has considered the matter from every scientific viewpoint. This dam is the crux of the entire canal. If the dam is a success the canal will be a success and George W. Goethals will take rank among the world's great men. If it fails—

### Taft Pleased

Taft examined the dam site from every viewpoint, and was carried from point to point in the special train which was always in waiting for him at Culebra. He

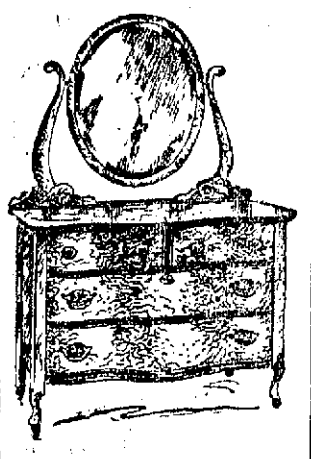


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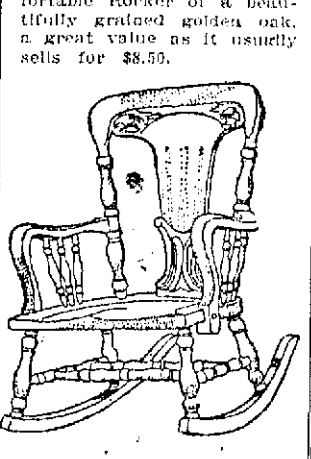
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CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR MONEY INVESTED.

### GRAND ARM MAN CRUELLY HUMILIATED

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Robert Morgan, an agent of the Civil War, member of the G. A. R., was the victim of a cruel joke which resulted, first in his humiliation in a restaurant and later, in his arrest. The old man was accosted last evening on Broadway by a stranger, who invited him to dine, but who brazenly announced that he did not know the old man when the waiter presented the bill for the meal. The stranger who perpetrated the "joke" disappeared.

asked hundreds of questions, and it was not until he had exhausted the subject and was conducted into the site of the upper log-cabin and lowest cabin—that a smile of satisfaction broke over his serious face, and with a glow of patriotic pride he exclaimed to one of the party: "Do you grasp it now, Bill? Do you see what a tremendous thing it is, and yet, after all, how perfectly simple under the plans laid down."

He and Mrs. Taft constantly alighted from the train and climbed over rocks and dirt-beds. Taft, talking with the engineers and explaining the work to his wife.

"Now, you see, Nellie," he would say, "here will be the first lock. Slide coming through from Colon will first enter here, and be lifted up one-third of the distance of eighty-five feet. Right where we are standing now. The lake will be over there," and so on.

### KEOGH TO CHALLENGE CHAMPION POOLPLAYER

ROCHESTER, Feb. 13.—Jerome J. Keogh, former world's champion, who defeated William D. Rickotts last night in a pool match for the championship of Western New York, will challenge Huxton for the world's championship title.

### MARATHON RUNNERS CONDITION IMPROVES

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The condition of Sylvester Vigente, the Marathon runner, who collapsed in the Brooklyn-Sea Gate races yesterday, was much improved today.

### CLAIMS MAN TRIED TO POISON HER

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Sarah B. Armstrong, living at the Jack House, at Fifth and Mission streets, this morning appeared before Police Judge Weller and swore it was a warrant for the arrest of Piero La Pon, charging him with attempting to poison her.

She alleges that on December 4 La Pon put poison in her tea in an attempt to murder her.

### BROCK WINS DECISION OVER YOUNG DINOBUHUE

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—Pitt Brock won the decision over Young Dinobuue in ten rounds before the Parkview Athletic Club tonight, which was the initial show of the new club.

Brock knocked his man down in the first round and had things pretty much his own way.

### WOMAN ACCUSED OF PASSING BAD CHECK

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—A warrant was issued today by the Police Court for the arrest of Mrs. J. Allen Coleman on a charge of passing a fictitious check. Jacob Harris of Harris & Sons, 1229 Jayadero street, was the complainant. The woman is accused of giving him a worthless check for \$125 in payment on goods. The check was drawn on the California National Bank of Oakland.

### PROFESSOR STEPHENS TO LECTURE ON INDIA

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Professor H. Morse Stephens will deliver another lecture in the course of "The History of the English in India," which he is giving to the Mechanics' Institute at Lane Hall tomorrow night. Monday's lecture, which will be the eighth in the course, will deal with the administration of Lord Wellesley as governor-general of India and his successors up to 1818.

### Two-Story House for Sale Big Bargain

New two-story house; eight rooms; up to date; Myrtle St., near 16th. Apply to FRED A. MERRITT, 412 17th Street, Oakland.

### COSTS \$20 EACH TO "FOOL" POLICE JUDGE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Ah Sing, and Ah Sing, Chinese, who are accused of having passed themselves off as the Police Court as two other men, accused of gambling, were found guilty of contempt of court today by Police Judge Shortall. They were fined \$20 each and admonished by the court.

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## SENATE REBELS DON WAR PAINT

Will Fight for New Rules to Govern Appointment of Committees

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Following the lead of the house insurgents, some of the new Republican senators, headed by Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, probably will make an earnest effort to obtain a reorganization of the present methods of appointing committees in the next Congress.

When Senator La Follette succeeded Thursday in putting the naval appropriation bill over until next week, he said that he "had the hardihood not only to doubt the perfection of the present arrangement but almost to believe that the business of considering the legislation of the senate could be distributed among the ninety-two instead of being taken in charge by less than one-third of the body it would be an improvement over existing conditions."

His present committee assignments, he said, do not allow him to go on the Supreme bench, because as a senator he had voted to increase the justices' salaries. Action was taken similar to that in Senator Knox's case; that is, the salary increase law repealed and Mr. Werts took his seat on the bench. There has never been any question raised as to his being legally seated although the salary increase law was afterward re-enacted.

## JOHNSON BILL ALARMS MUTUAL WATER CONCERNS

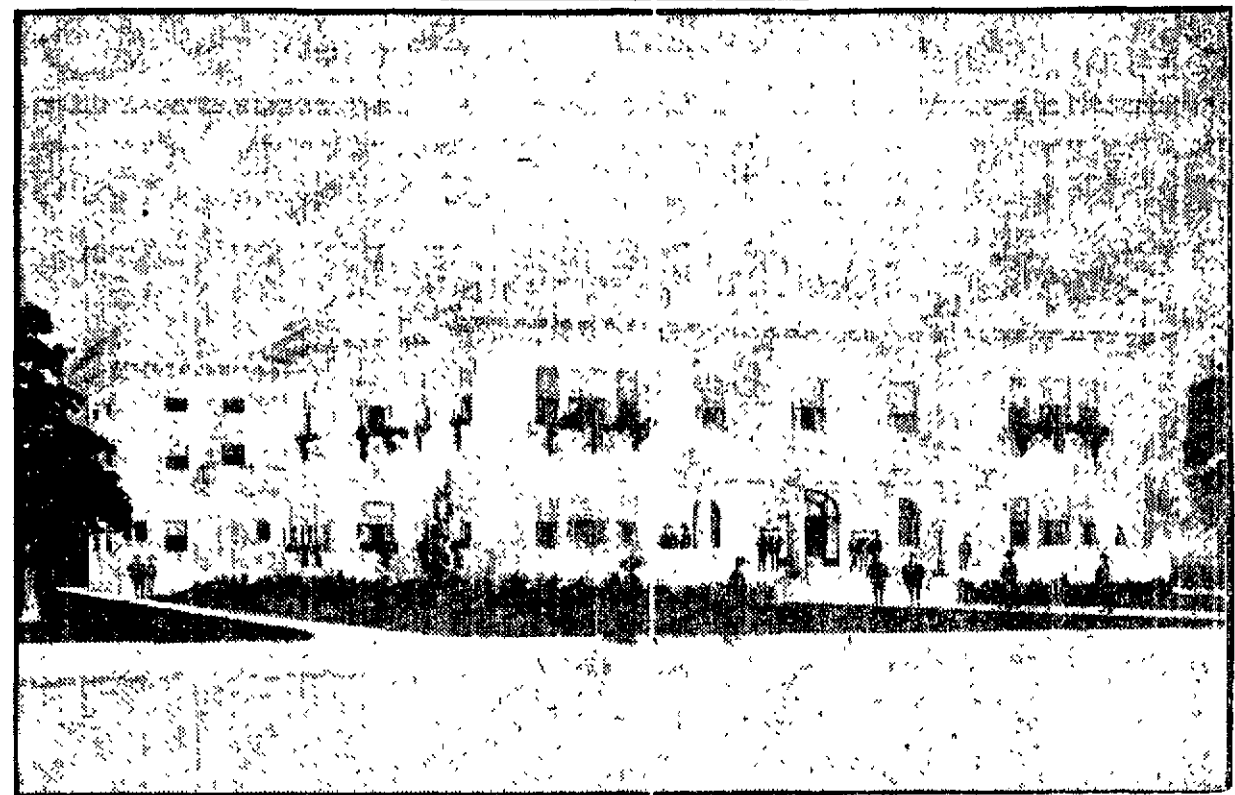
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Much indignation has been aroused here by Assembly bill 345, introduced by Johnson of San Diego, which provides that holders of lands in the neighborhood of canals of mutual water companies, can compel the companies to deliver water for irrigation without acquiring stock in the companies.

The principle embodied in the bill is believed to be destructive to the mutual water companies throughout the State. Delegations from several local companies will be sent to Sacramento to oppose the measure.

## OBJECT TO COWS IN RICHMOND DISTRICT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—The members of the Richmond Woman's Improvement Club have petitioned the supervisors to order such an extension of the "Two Cow Limit" as the city shall prevent the maintenance of dairies anywhere in the Richmond district, the request being made that the ocean-beach be made the western boundary of the forbidden district.

## Elks of Alameda Will Erect Handsome \$40,000 Structure



NEW HOME TO BE BUILT BY THE ELKS OF ALAMEDA AT A COST OF \$40,000.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—May 1 will be a red letter day in the history of the Alameda Elks, for on that day the cornerstone of the new \$40,000 Elks' Building will be laid. It was first proposed to have the cornerstone laying on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, but the preliminary work could not be carried out by this date, so May Day was selected, the intervening time guaranteeing that the cornerstone ceremonies could be safely set for the latter date.

### A \$60,000 Investment

The new building and the site will comprise a \$60,000 investment. The site, just west of the City Hall, has been added to by the purchase of a rear lot, and the site now represents a value of upwards of \$20,000.

The building committee, composed of Charles S. Neal, A. O. Gott, Dr. W. O. Smith, Fred T. Moore, D. W. Martin, Frank Leonhardt and J. S. Williams, has approved the plans and instructed the architect to proceed with the final drawings. As soon as possible bids will be

asked, the contract awarded and foundation work commenced.

### Will Be of Grecian Style.

The new building will be on the Grecian style of architecture. It will have a 38-foot frontage and is expected to be one of the finest pieces of architecture in the city.

### Reception Hall.

The lower floor will comprise a reception hall 35x45 feet, with a large fireplace; a lounge room, 25x30 feet; a reading room, 22x26 feet; secretary's office, 12x11 feet, with two telephone booths; coat rooms, ladies' dressing room, 12x30 feet.

A large banquet hall, 60x75 feet, will be erected in the rear of the main structure, and will be connected by a small hall. The stage will be 35x45 feet, the largest in the city.

The lounge room will be comfortably furnished with lounges and upholstered Morris chairs and rockers, and will be situated at the left of the big reception hall, and adjoining it is the billiard hall, 27x35 feet.

A narrow hallway off the main reception room leads to a staircase in the rear, by which the upstairs apartments are reached. The lodge room, taking the whole front half of the building and the candidates' room, 24x38 feet, the bath room and the storage rooms, will form the upstairs portion.

The kitchen, dining room and bed

chambers will be located in the basement of the building. The latter are of large dimensions and will be sunny and pleasant for the members who will live at the club or for visitors desirous of spending some time there.

### Will Have Heating Plant

A heating plant will be installed in the basement, and a large storage room and radiator room will be situated here. The banquet hall, stage, lodge room, dining room, kitchen and bed chambers for help have all been provided for.

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## CITY MUST BUY SPRING VALLEY

So Says Engineer Dockweiler at the Luncheon of the Commonwealth Club

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—"I would rather be in San Francisco than in New York with \$50,000," said J. H. Dockweiler, consulting engineer to City Attorney Long, during his talk on the proposed municipal water district before the Commonwealth Club today.

"San Francisco will be the biggest city in the world before a hundred years," he continued. "New York is on a peninsula facing the south and is an open peninsula facing the north. Half of the year New Yorkers fight to keep warm and the other half they are fanning themselves to keep from dying from the heat."

"We have great valleys back of us, and as they grow we must grow. We have two great rivers to insure cheap transportation. San Francisco has the greatest strategic position from a commercial standpoint of any city in the world. The Panama canal will make San Francisco the only port worth mentioning on the Pacific, for it will be the one port of call for all steamers passing through the canal."

"Oakland faces a water famine in a year and San Francisco will have a water famine in three years. The municipal water district bill before the legislature has been a year in the making by engineers and lawyers. We must buy Spring Valley. It does not pay to fight. In Los Angeles there was an eight years' fight in the courts, and during that time the water company was getting its own price."

"Under district plan the bonding capacities of the cities will not be diminished in the least. All the cities in the bay district can come in, and it will be run as a business proposition. The district will be self-supporting and will not increase taxation. We can start at once and bring water in from the Tuolumne with a cheap pipeline. Under the present laws you cannot condemn water plants, but under the proposed commission you could lease and buy and condemn."

**District Plan**  
"Nothing will build up the city like a municipal water supply, for the Spring Valley will not put in extension pipes to new districts. They must have a return on the investment. But the city could afford to give new tracts extension lines and help build up the new tracts. While you have a growing city and they give a growing district water and the hydrants and houses grow up over night."

"There is all the water in Hetch-Hetchy the city will ever need. If there wasn't there wouldn't be much opposition from Spring Valley in the proposed municipal plan. Spring Valley knows it will not be a failure and the city is anxious to save the mosquitoes up there from being disturbed. If it thought it would be a failure it would let the city go ahead and laugh in their faces."

**HENEY ABLE TO BE IN COURT MONDAY**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Francis J. Heney, whose illness has kept him away from court for the past few days, has recovered sufficiently to attend to his duties today. The prosecutor will be in court Monday, when the Calhoun trial is resumed.

## Another Shipment of Spring Goods Arrived

And will be on display for the first time Monday morning in our windows. They are the most beautiful patterns that have ever been shown on this coast, but we still have a few Fall and Winter suitings left on hand and we must get rid of them in the next few days, as we cannot possibly keep them until next Fall, as we never keep any cloth from one season to the other, as we always want to have a fresh stock on hand.

If we do not get rid of the Fall and Winter patterns now while the weather is a little cool we may not be able to sell them any more this season, so we want to clear them out in the next few days, and in order to do so we will give away an extra pair of pants Free! Free! Free! with every suit made to order. The FREE pants will not be worth less than \$6.00.



Now Remember You Get a

**Suit \$15**  
Made to Order for

And a \$6.00 Pair of Pants FREE

Made in our own shop by the best of UNION mechanics, and every garment bears the Union Label, which we are the only tailors authorized to use.

As this is the end of the season we have a few UN-CALLED for suits left on hand which we will sell at any old price.

The present tailor strike does not affect us at all. We are prepared to make any amount of suits on short order if necessary.

## Scotch Plaid Tailors

1054 Washington St., Oakland  
340 Kearny Street, S. F.

## Spring's New Suits Await You



Although the prodigality of the rain-producer may have hindered your shopping, it has not interfered with the steady arrival of Spring's new styles.

Noticeable in the new colors are some pretty shades of rose, blue, tan, green and gray. Black and white checks are in vogue again and there are many two-toned irregular stripes and mixtures.

New Suits in plain blue. Price	Smart styles in new mixtures. Price—	Novelties in good variety up to
\$20.00	\$22.50	\$45.00

### Long Silk Coats

The new long silk coats are here, made of Taffeta and Peau de Soie; most large fancy collars, appliqued or braided.

\$13.50, \$15.00 and to \$26.50

### New Panamas \$1.00 yd

The Dress Goods Section is showing an unusually good line of new Panama cloths in light gray, tan, beige, Copenhagen, old rose, olive, brown, peacock taupe, royal navy, garnet, myrtle and black—46 inches wide.

### New Checked Silks \$1.00 yd

Not the block checks, but the fine cross-bar patterns—in grounds of black, navy, brown and fawn, with white lines; also white with black; extra wide—27 inch.

### Children's Dresses and Guimps

Spring's complete lines are already here. Neck, stylish and washable; made of chambray, gal tea and percales; solid colors, checks, stripes; much novelty in the trimming effects.

Sizes 1 to 4—Prices

25c, 35c, and to \$2

Sizes 4 to 14—Prices

65c, 75c and to \$4

Children's Guimps—Little

Misses' Shirts (Waists in lawn

and white; lace or embroidery

trimmed; 1/2 or long sleeves, 6

to 14 years—

75c, 85c, \$1.25 and to

\$3.25

### 4-inch Taffeta Ribbon, 15c Yard

Five hundred pieces of 4-inch all-silk Taffeta Ribbon; good, firm quality; all the new Spring shades, including cream, white, pink, blue, cardinal, navy, brown and black; reg. value 15c yd.

### Velour Cushion Tops 48c Each

A special lot of 22x22-inch velour cushion tops, good quality, rich designs and colorings, in red, brown and two shades of green; reg. value 48c ea.

75c Sale price.... 48c ea.

### New French Curtains

Come and choose your new Curtains for the Spring adornment of your homes. New collection of handsome Curtains made of imported French Net, in Battenberg, Cluny and Marie Antoinette effects. White and Arabian shades—

\$5.00, \$5.50 and to \$6.00 pair

### Spring's New Silk Mixtures

The Wash Goods Section invites you to see the many beautiful effects in silk-mixed novelties.

San Toy Silk—A fine, soft clinging material of beautiful lustre, an effect heretofore to be had only in pure silk costing many times the price; popular for princess and empire gowns. Special value

2 1/2 c yd

**SUESINE SILK**—A fabric possessing all the beauty and effect possibilities of the most costly silks; comes in all the Spring colorings. On sale in Wash Goods Department.

The Store of Life and Progress—rain or shine.

**H.C. Cahue & Co.**  
THE LACE HOUSE  
1222 AND WASHINGTON STS.  
— OAKLAND.

It's here whether advertised or not.

## KOENIG & COLLINS

1619-1623 Van Ness Avenue, Between California and Sacramento Streets

## Our Final Clearance Sale on Van Ness Avenue

We have just one week left to close out the balance of our stock, before moving to our new store at 125-127 Geary Street. All garments marked at much greater reductions than ever. Special invitation to patrons from "Across the Bay."

One lot of Suits to be closed out at **\$7.50 a Suit**

One lot of Suits to be closed out at **\$10 a Suit**

One lot of Suits to be closed out at **\$12.50 and \$15 a Suit**

All Suits comprising these three lots were formerly sold at **\$30 to \$50**

All our Evening Coats and Silk Rain Coats marked below cost.

One lot of Coats for automobile and street wear to be closed out at **\$10 Each**

Former prices, \$25.00 to \$30.00.

One lot of Satin Evening Gowns, in all shades, to be closed out at **\$12.50 Each**

One lot of Gowns in silks, satins and wool batiste to be closed out at **\$18.50 Each**

One lot of Waists, in laces, nets, messalines, taffetas and lingerie, to be closed out at **\$2.50 Each**

One lot of Waists, in laces, nets, messalines and taffetas, to be closed out at **\$3.50 Each**

Two hundred Lingerie Waists; former prices from \$7.00 to \$12.00; to be closed out at **\$2.95 Each**

One lot of Silk Petticoats, in black and all colors, to be closed out at **\$3.50 Each**

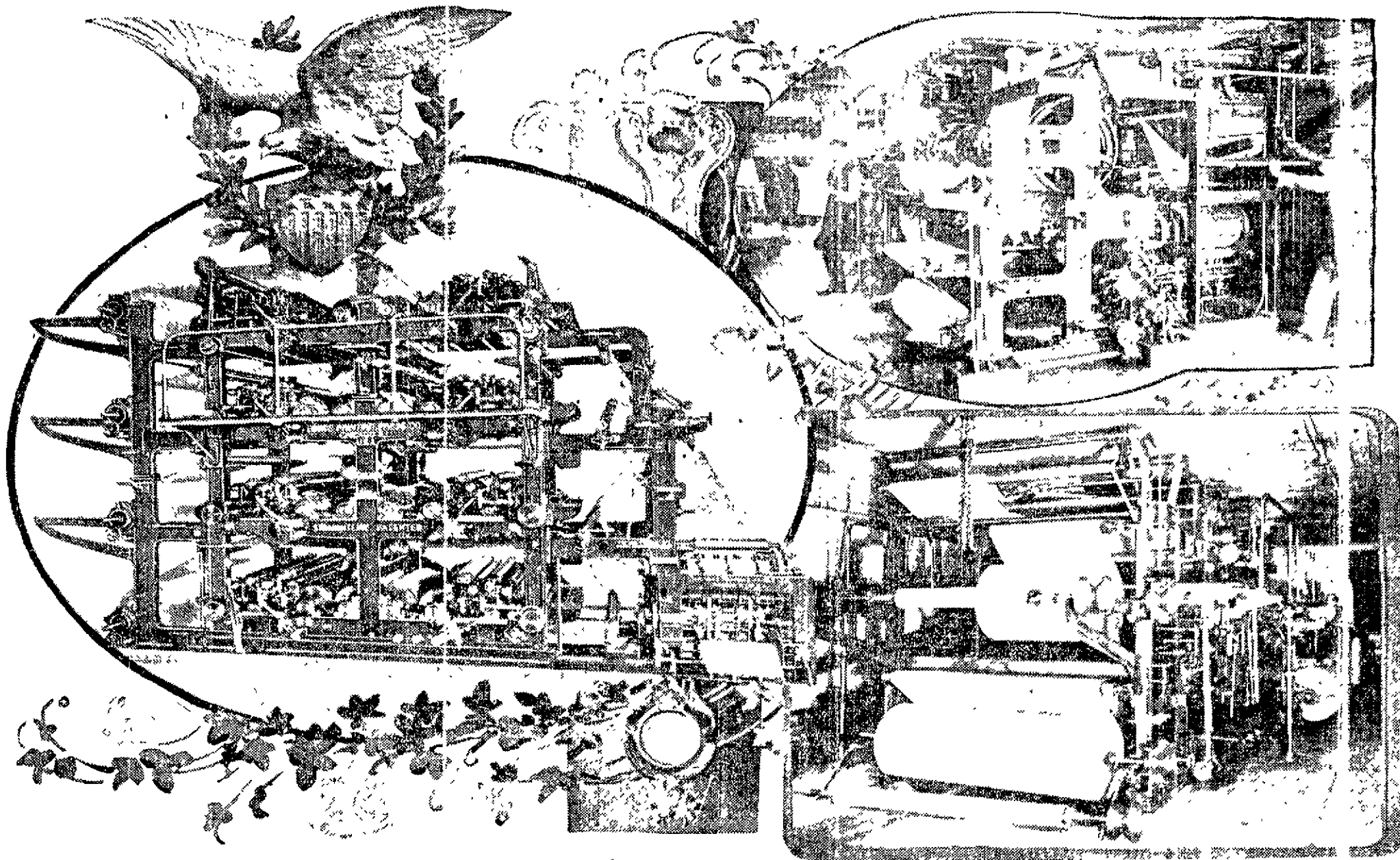
One lot of Silk Petticoats, in black and colors, to be closed out at **\$4.50 Each**



# Keeping Pace With Progress

## ANOTHER MATERIAL EVIDENCE OF MARVELOUS GROWTH

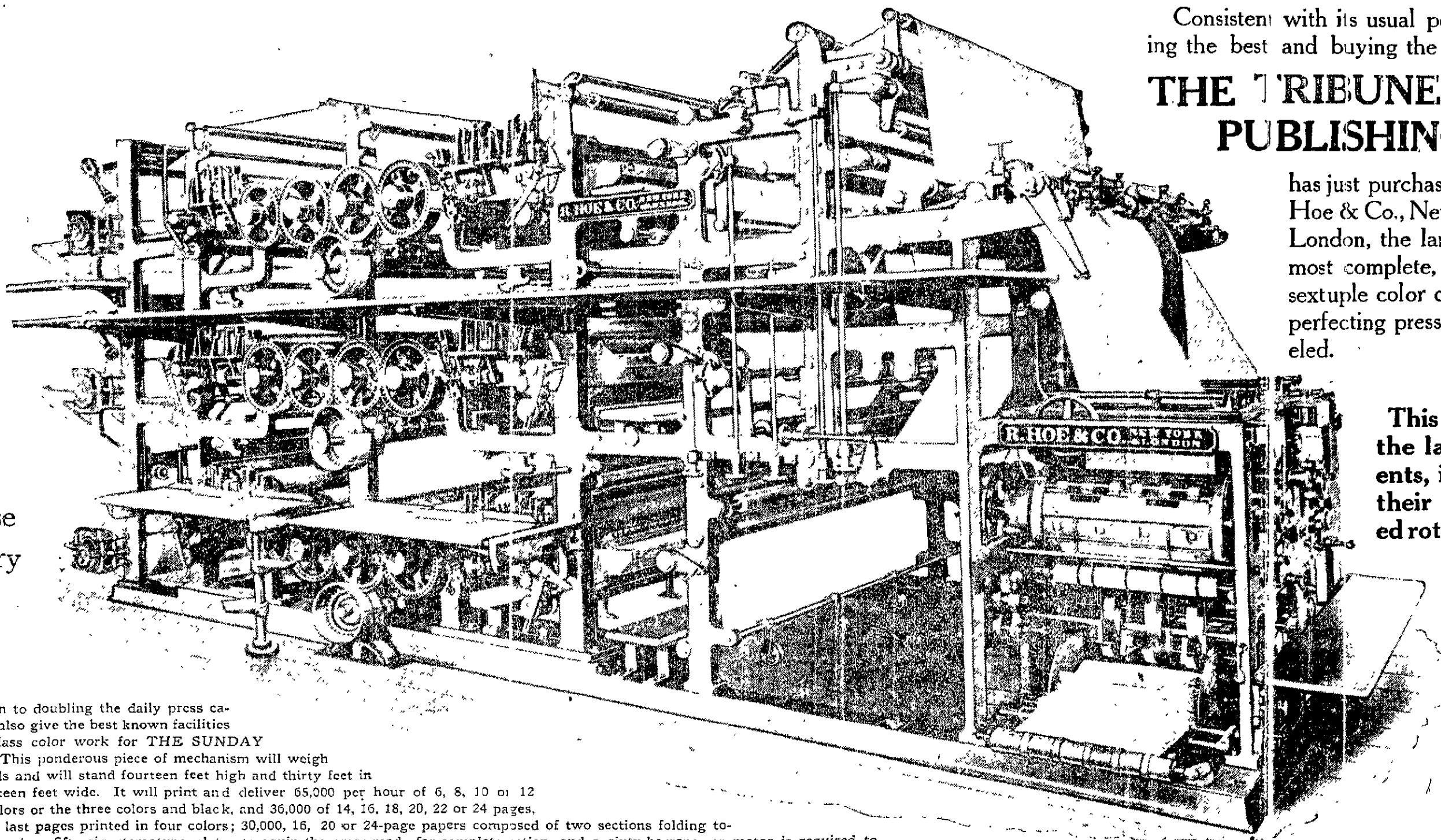
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**THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE** has unbounded faith in the future of Greater Oakland. Buys splendid new sextuple, color combination perfecting press to keep pace with its stupendous growth.  
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 The photograph herewith presented shows a view of the present press room, which is the finest on the coast. The present facilities will be more than doubled by the addition of the large press now being built expressly for **THE TRIBUNE**.  
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## THE FINEST PRODUCT OF THE BEST MANUFACTURERS

Thanks to our many patrons whose favors have made this purchase necessary



Consistent with its usual policy of giving the best and buying the best,

### THE TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO.

has just purchased from R. Hoe & Co., New York and London, the largest, finest, most complete, and fastest sextuple color combination perfecting press ever modeled.

This press has the latest patents, including their celebrated rotary folder

In addition to doubling the daily press capacity it will also give the best known facilities for highest class color work for **THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE**. This ponderous piece of mechanism will weigh 140,000 pounds and will stand fourteen feet high and thirty feet in length by sixteen feet wide. It will print and deliver 65,000 per hour of 6, 8, 10 or 12 pages with colors or the three colors and black, and 36,000 of 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 or 24 pages, with first and last pages printed in four colors; 30,000, 16, 20 or 24-page papers composed of two sections folding together. It requires fifty-six stereotype plates to equip the press ready for complete action, and a sixty-horsepower motor is required to generate sufficient power.

A magnificent new press-room with splendid plate glass window on Franklin street 85 feet long and 18 feet high will enable the public to see the operation. A gallery well lighted with myriads of lights will be provided so that our patrons can stand directly over the large presses while running and also see the scores of men employed in the linotype and press-rooms. R. Hoe & Company are building this press now and some ninety days are required to finish it. When this fine press, the best known in the world, is installed the 50,000 homes receiving **THE TRIBUNE** each evening will be able to get an earlier delivery of a better and later newspaper.

**THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE** portended the greatness of Oakland's future at the time of the San Francisco fire by putting in a gigantic sextuple color combination press, but necessity demands a better and larger press to keep pace with our increasing circulation.



# WOMEN SECURE WARRANT FOR ARREST OF PASTOR DECLARING THAT HE PUT POISON IN THEIR TEA

## YOUTHFUL ALAMEDA GIRLS ARE CLEVER SHOPLIFTERS

Their Arrest in Oakland Agonizes Parents

BECAUSE they wanted pretty things which were on display in the stores of this city, little Lucille Burgess and her sister Loraine were arrested yesterday afternoon by Captain Lynch at the store of Smith Bros., on Thirteenth street, between Broadway and Washington.

The children had been going the path of the shoplifters and when they were taken into custody they had ribbons, corsets, blank books and other articles that they had purloined from the stores in their trip about town.

The children are aged 14 and 12, respectively, and only their extreme youth prevents the making of a charge against them for shoplifting. As soon as the arrest had been made the father of the girls was called up over the telephone at Alameda and the children were turned over to him. It is not likely that they will be prosecuted.

### Make General Raid

The Burgess family resides at 1132 Broadway, Alameda. What excuse the children could have had to purloin the articles mentioned is not forthcoming. At all events it is tiny shoplifters, if they may so be called, who made a regular tour of the city. At Smith Bros. they had obtained a blank book which appeared to them. At Schuster's, on Washington street, they had obtained a pair of corsets. At Hark Bros. the pair had managed to secure a pair of corsets. H. C. Capwell's lace house was also made a victim and dainty shaded ribbons were taken.

When they arrived at the police station the children were unable to give an excuse for their peculiar notes. The arrival of the father was pathetic as he saw his beloved children in the custody of the officers of the law.

### Had Rather See Them Dead

"I would rather see them dead than to see them in this predicament," said Mr. Burgess, and tears welled down his cheeks as he took his children to the Alameda home.

It is stated that the girls have the best of care and attention at home and the inviting things shown in the windows tempted them too strongly. A sad home is that of the Burgess family, and the alleged shoplifters are trying to tell just why they took the articles from the Oakland stores.

Mrs. August Burgess, the mother of the children, said last night to a TRIBUNE reporter: "Oh, it is awful! My children have never been in trouble before. They left home at 2 o'clock yesterday to buy some new dresses. They came home at 4 o'clock, I waited until 8 o'clock and they had not returned. I was then informed by Detective William Wasmuth that my babies were in the custody of the Oakland police."

### Arrested Once in Alameda

On the other hand, the police of Alameda state that the two girls were arrested about six weeks ago and charged with taking stock from Hartley's Hardware. While the case against them was very strong, they were released on bail. They were supposed to have returned to Alameda, but the children are suspected of taking articles from neighbors.

As a late last night, a father had not returned with the children. He is a solicitor with offices at San Francisco. Mrs. Burgess is heartbroken over the affair. There are four other little girls in the family, one a babe in arms.

## JAPANESE MILITARY DRILL ALARMS NEIGHBORHOOD

### Ninth Street Residents Much Excited

THE sound of the grounding of arms, orders given in a military command, the clashing of bayonets as the practice progressed startled the residents in the vicinity of 307 Ninth street during the early hours of last evening. In fact, rumors which were circulated by those who had peeped through the windows at the place tended toward the proof of Japanese drilling. Just why the secret drill was being carried on none could tell. Yet thirty Japanese were engaged with muskets and the regular army drill behind the closed doors.

Rumors flow thick and fast, circulated by those who had made it their business to watch the practice. Yet when a TRIBUNE reporter knocked upon the door, a sword drill was in progress, the naked blades disappeared as if by magic. When the door was opened by U. Ishizaka, only wooden stencils were in evidence and the swords had disappeared.

### Japanese Sword Dance

Ishizaka says that there was nothing but a Japanese sword dance, called shu-bu-kai, in progress. He says that it is a club that has been formed recently with a membership of twenty-five. War? No, never has such a thought entered the heads of the members of this club. It is simply a friendly social club gathered together for the purpose of mutual advancement.

Ishizaka even denied that there had been a drill with muskets or guns or firearms of any sort. But those who had been peeping through the windows assert that there were thirty muskets brought into play during the drill.

### Fire Arms? Oh! No!

But Ishizaka is positive that there

## S. F. COMPANY GETS U. S. CONTRACT

\$2,360,000 Bid for Construction of Pearl Harbor Dry Dock Accepted

### CALIFORNIA LABOR TO RECEIVE BENEFIT

Eastern Firms Were \$1,000,000 Higher Than West in Bidding for Work

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The proposed immense dry dock at Pearl Harbor will be built by a San Francisco firm, the Pacific Construction company. Bids were opened this morning at the Bureau of Yards and Docks and the Pacific company's bid was almost \$200,000 lower than the next highest bid, that of Edward Malloy of San Francisco.

Eastern bidders were far underbid by all of the western contractors. The easterners ran a million or more above the Pacific coast men. The dock is to be one of the largest in the world. The contract calls for a dock 185 feet long, large enough to hold two warships at once.

The Pacific Construction company, with which the Tealy-Tibbitts Construction company is said to be associated, bid \$2,360,000. Malloy bid \$2,550,000 and the San Francisco Bridge company \$2,900,000. There were two eastern bids of \$3,400,000 and \$3,150,000.

The work must be started within four months. The larger part of the higher class labor used in this construction will be taken out from San Francisco.

### Son of Patent Office Head a Gas Victim

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 13.—Casper J. Simonds, aged 32, son of the U. S. Commissioner of Patents, Wm. E. Simonds, was found dead from accidental gas asphyxiation in his room today.

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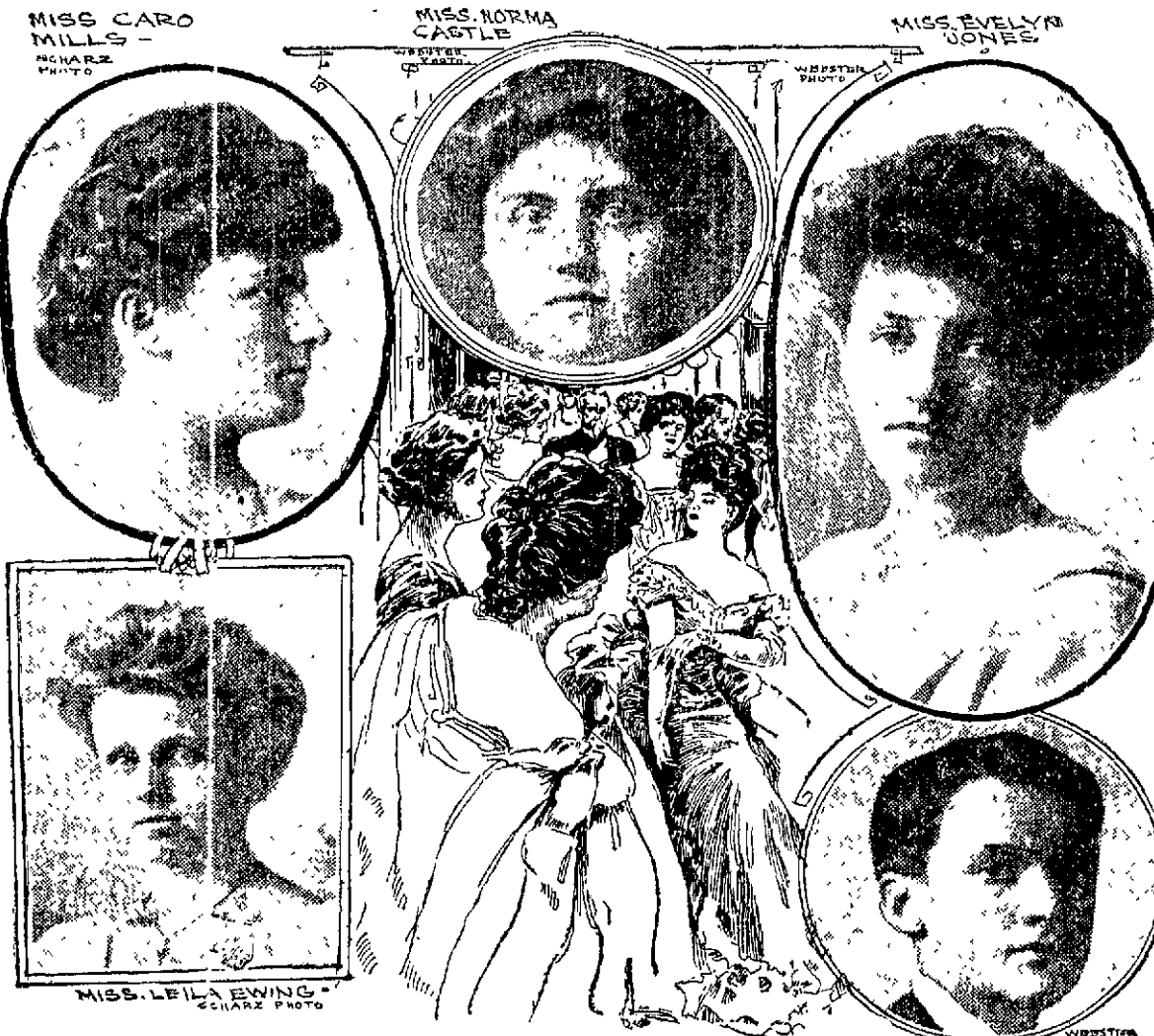
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## Mrs. Agnes Jones Gives a Brilliant Dance in Honor of Her Son and Daughter



The most elaborate private dancing party of the season was that given last evening by Mrs. Agnes Jones of Piedmont for her daughter, Miss Evelyn, and son Richard, at Maple Hall. Over two hundred invitations were issued for the affair. Miss Evelyn Jones, the pretty young debutante, is a petite blonde, sweet and winsome of manner. She looked charming in her exquisite gown of pale blue messaline satin made on the empire model, with rich silver trimmings. Mrs. Jones, who received with her daughter, wore a charming gown of white lace over tulle. Mr. Richard Jones is a bright, manly chap and a favorite with all who know him. Both he and his sister are prominent in the younger set and to repay their social obligations the brilliant affair of last evening was planned.

### Many From Across Bay

The stately hall, which has been the scene of so many brilliant fund-raising parties, was filled with guests from all over the bay. The guests were dressed in the latest fashion. The dancing was kept up until a late hour. The evening was a great success.

as of her children, for she is a very lovable woman, entering into the pleasures of her son and daughter and their friends with a sincere interest. Miss Evelyn is very like her mother in looks and disposition, she is fond of out-door life and may be seen any pleasant morning walking over the hills on her handsome mount.

She is quite as much at home in the ballroom, and made a pretty picture while assisting her mother in greeting her many friends last evening. Quite a number of guests came from San Francisco to attend the dance, the Joneses having made their home across the bay several years ago.

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## COL. TUCKER'S WIFE TO MAKE CHARGES ENOUGH TO KILL 20 OR MORE PERSONS

To Appear Against Officer Before U. S. Army Retiring Board

### CLAIMS DISSIPATION CAUSED HIS ILLNESS

Several Soldiers Who Failed to Take Riding Test Must Tell Why Officially

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Ready to tell her story before the United States army retiring board, Mrs. Mary Logan Tucker, wife of Colonel William F. Tucker, arrived in Chicago from Washington, and has conferred with an attorney.

Captain Logan Tucker, her son, is expected tomorrow, and he will aid his mother.

Colonel Tucker, paymaster of the Department of the Lakes, as he has been called before the board to show cause why he should not be retired. It is declared that Mrs. Tucker will appear before the board and charge that her husband's illness is due to dissipation, in an effort to have him retired without pay.

### May Lose Income

If it is shown that Colonel Tucker's illness is not incurable, in the discharge of his duty, he will have no income from the Government.

Another woman who will figure in the hearing is Mrs. Myrtle Platt, who, it is alleged, was responsible for much of the marital troubles of the Tucker family.

"The board is ready to convene, and action will be taken in the morning," said Captain Logan Tucker, who is expected tomorrow.

### Big Accident Policy

Colonel Tucker took out a \$5000 accident insurance policy, which he gave his wife to take care of.

At the ticket office he gave his name as F. R. Fawcett of W. Moore, O. According to a dispatch, Colonel Tucker looks well and is on the train with a quick military gait. He was smoking a cigar and appeared to be happy.

He would not give out any statement. Besides Colonel Tucker, their officers who will appear before the retiring board are: Colonel O. W. Sweet, Twenty-eighth Infantry; Major George W. Adams, Twenty-eighth Infantry; Major Silas A. W. Twenty-eighth Infantry; Major Walter H. Twenty-eighth Infantry.

### TEA PARTY WILL BE NEW STYLE OF HAZING

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The students of Columbia University have taken steps to curb the practice of hazing, and a group has been formed in which the only hazing is to be allowed to participate in a tea party to be held on the opening day of school.

According to the ground that were being unduly annoyed.

Miss Ingham Lind-

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## Pretty Nurse Says She Saw Lafou Plc: Arsenic in Pot

### Attempts to Poison His Housekeeper and Friend, Alleged

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—A warrant was sworn out today charging Pierre Lafou of 783 Golden Gate avenue, with attempting to poison his housekeeper, Mrs. Gertrude Coffman, and a pretty nurse, Miss Sarah Armstrong.

The accused man is a graduate of the University of Lyons, France. He became a clergyman, it is further alleged, and after coming to America he occupied pulpits in or near Napa and at New Orleans. Then he studied medicine and while here running a lodging house he has been in constant attendance at the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

### Tea Poisoned, Is Claim

The specific charge against Lafou is that he tried to kill Mrs. Coffman and Miss Armstrong by means of iodide of arsenic and that he was detected in the act of placing in a teapot, which the women had on the stove, enough of the poison to kill twenty persons.

The warrant was sworn out today, Miss Armstrong being the complaining witness.

### Saw Act, She Says

Miss Armstrong says she saw Lafou drop the poison into the teapot.

Lafou fell in love with Mrs. Coffman, according to the belief of the latter and the young nurse, but why he should have wished to kill both of the women is a mystery that neither can explain. They say he advertised for women for acts of work, though he had no employment to offer.

### HARRIMAN MAY ABSORB SEABOARD

Rumor Says He Also Seeks Control of Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio

BRISTOL, Va., Feb. 13.—E. H. Harriman and J. T. Hinchey, of the Central, and others, were here this morning on a special train. The presence of the party strengthens the rumor that Harriman is after the Seaboard Air Line and that the Seaboard Air Line and the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio, just completed by the same interests, will soon be taken over by Harriman.

Mr. Harriman was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary Harriman; F. W. Gillett, an official of the Harriman lines; and others.

### Friend of the South

"Mr. Harriman has only the kindest feelings for the South," said Mr. Harriman, whose controversy with Stuyvesant Fish brought his national notoriety. "I have been associated with Mr. Harriman many years and while I cannot say positively that he is anxious to augment his southern interest just now, I do know that he thinks the South has a great future for railroads."

### Ryan Interests Concerned

The Ryan interests own both the Seaboard Air Line railway, which is in a receiver's hands, and the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio, just completed at a cost of \$50,000,000.

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### C. M. LEECH WILL BUILD PEARL HARBOR DRYDOCK

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—C. M. Leech was the lowest bidder for construction of the dry dock at the Pearl Harbor naval station, Hawaii, proposals for which were opened at the Navy Department today.

The dry dock and accessories, complete, containing a dock 785 feet long over all, the lowest bid was \$1,866,881. (The dock is to be the largest in the world. Leech's was the lowest under all the items.)



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To the discoverer all heads are alike. The record of the cures already made is truly marvelous and were it not for the high standing of the great discoverer and the convincing testimony of thousands of citizens all over the country it would seem too miraculous to be true.

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We deem it necessary to urge upon you the importance of taking care of the head. This part of your body should be kept in just as clean and healthy a condition as your teeth. A great many people have dandruff, but pay little or no attention to it. Don't make that mistake. This free \$1.00 package we are giving away will enable you to treat your head for any scalp disease.

Countless are the letters in our office telling us of the astonishing results that have been accomplished by Foso. In most cases after a short period of application the new growth can be seen—the hair is found to be soft and glossy, being free from dandruff.

Growing hair is the main feature of Foso, but it cures the following head diseases with just as much rapidity.

## Head Diseases Cured By Foso

Baldness, bald spots, falling hair, dandruff, thin hair, brittle hair, gray hair, faded hair, hair ruined by bleaching, coarse and unruly hair, itching, sore scalp, pimples on scalp, thin or falling eyelashes or eyebrows, thin beard



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or mustache, hair restored to natural color, in short, any scalp or hair disease.

Should your own case seem to be different from any other write us about it when sending for your free package. Give us a description and we will tell you the best way to use Foso.

## Dandruff Is Easily Cured

By using Foso. Sometimes a single treatment will do it if thoroughly applied. All scalp diseases yield to this treatment and it quickly restores gray or faded hair to its natural color. A trial will speedily convince you.

## Falling Hair Is Sick Hair

Foso cures it, makes hair healthy, starts a new growth and covers bald spots. Natural color

restored, dandruff cured, inflammation stopped. All germs hidden under scale or dandruff that are sapping the life of the hair are destroyed and health and vigor renewed. Try a package today, it will delight you.

## No More Gray Hair

Foso Hair and Scalp Remedy brings your hair back to its natural color, gloss and vigor. It is not a dye, but a true hair food that destroys the cause of the trouble and assists nature to supply the pigment or coloring matter. It quickly cures dandruff. Why look old before your time?

## Stops Itching

Those who have that continual itch will appreciate Foso. When applied to the scalp, that itching

sensation immediately disappears. Nothing is more injurious than to scratch your scalp. Serious wounds are caused—the flesh is sometimes torn and poisoning has been known to set in. Protect yourself with a free package of Foso.

## Brittle Hair That Splits

Is caused by the hair being too dry and harsh because of lack of oil. Brushing under such conditions does more harm than good. The application of Foso speedily overcomes this difficulty, makes the hair take on new life and grow and return to its natural color and glossiness. Hair-health is yours for the asking.

## Food for Hair

Is as necessary as for the body.



Before and After Using the Wonderful Foso Compound.

Hair, lacking proper nourishment, gets dry, brittle and dull in appearance. Life and gloss disappear when the food elements required are lacking and the scalp is not able to supply the same. Foso invigorates and supplies what nature demands. Good hair is an index to good health.

## Healthy Hair Is Moist; Is Yours?

If the natural oil is lacking your hair will become dry, harsh, brittle and split. Foso gets at the trouble by assisting nature to put in a healthy condition the parts that come into play in supplying the oil and properly distributing the same. Try it. It makes a fine dressing and restores hair to its natural color. Try it once, you'll use it all the time.

## The Beauty of Hair

Depends upon what care you give it and how well it is fed. Don't you know that hair gets hungry? Well, it does. When the follicles are unhealthy and cannot perform their functions properly, the hair droops, becomes sickly, has no gloss, becomes gray. Foso feeds the hair, gives it health and restores its natural color. A woman's crowning glory is her hair.

## Why Comb Out Hairs?

When you can keep them. When the scalp is put in a healthy condition, the roots nourished and scalp cleaned by using Foso, the hair will stop coming out, grow in thicker and be restored to its natural color.

## Baldheads Rejoice

When they try Foso. Many who have been bald for years now have a perfect crop of hair grown by the proper use of Foso, which is the best specific known for all diseases of the scalp. The hair quickly regains its natural color, too. Good hair is proof of a strong constitution.

The success that Foso has met with up to the present time is away beyond any dream we could have possibly constructed. This more than anything else proves the actual merit of Foso. Patients who have given themselves over to our treatment cannot speak too highly of our help to them. Many came with that foregone conclusion that Foso would fail, as all other remedies had, but Foso grew hair for them and kept their scalp in perfect condition, and now they stand ready to recommend it.

The American people on seeing the actual merit of this valuable article presented to them did not take long to help us to our success. Each one telling her neighbors of the wonderful Foso and what it could accomplish has been our best publicity. After using it one cannot fail to say that it is all we claim.

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There is a way of staining gray, faded or bleached hair—any shade desired—from a beautiful rich brown to almost black, so that it is difficult, if not impossible, for even experts to detect that the hair has been treated in any way.

This preparation has the tremendous advantage over hair-dyes of containing no silver, sulphur, lead or other poisons which invariably cause hair-falling. It has no odor, no oil, no sediment and no grease, and does not rub off on the clothing. It makes the hair grow out fluffy and luxuriant.

A liberal amount as a laboratory trial package of this walnut-juice hair stain together with a booklet on hair, is sent by Mrs. Potter, Hygienic Supply Co., 610 Thirteenth St., Cincinnati, Ohio, in plain sealed wrapper. If you will send five cents in stamps or coin and if it is desired to continue the treatment, full sized packages may be obtained at drug stores for one dollar a package.

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## "STRENUOUS" IS KNOX WATCHWORD

To Prevent Criticism His Friends Work for Position of Secretary of State

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The friends of Philander C. Knox worked strenuously today with members of the House to prevent bitter criticism of the bill repealing the law increasing the salary of the Secretary of State, the purpose of which is to enable Senator Knox to accept the position of Secretary of State in the Taft Cabinet.

The relief bill will pass the House. The House committee on election of President, Vice President and Representatives in Congress today reported it favorably by a vote of 5 to 2. An opportunity to bring it before the House is now awaited by its friends. It is the present plan to attempt to pass it under suspension of the rules on Monday.

The telegram from Mr. Taft urging the passage of the bill was not well received by members of Congress. It had little effect on Democrats, who are opposing the bill on the ground of the unconstitutionality of the increase. It is charged, of Mr. Taft in legislative matters. There is no hostility to Senator Knox anywhere.

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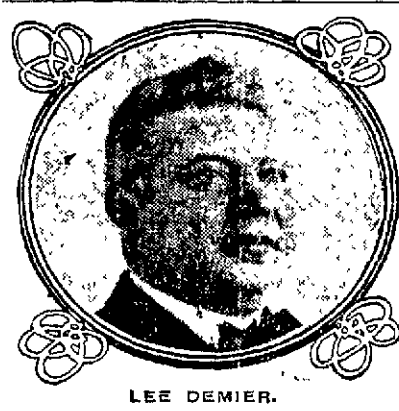
# SYLVIA DUNBAR ROMPS HOME IN GUNST STAKES

LIVONIA IS THE SECOND FROM FAST  
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IS TOO BIG TO FURNISH MUCH CONTEST

Throng's Cheer  
Favorite to  
Victory

17 Smart Fillies Face  
Starter in First  
Big Even!

By LEE DEMIER



SEVENTEEN well-groomed and splendidly bred fillies lined up at Williams Park yesterday afternoon to try for the rich Gunst Stakes at half past five. This was the first time during the present season that the babies were called upon to go so far and it looked like shooting at the moon to make an effort to pick the winner.

The talent finally landed on Sylvia Dunbar from the Ormond stable to guide the rich prize and that they were right was proved to a nicety. Sylvia was away from the start in a fine way, but with a display of flying feet she shot to the front early and came home like a good race horse. She is a filly and will take a smart youngster to make her first.

**Redeem Ran Well**  
Redeem, owned by Paulson and held at 100 to 1 in the letting looked like she would get some change, but she faltered just when it appeared that she was going to move up toward the front. The filly was away none too well and the effort to get up told on her. At that she was only a few lengths in front of the pack and she was not in a position to buck her shins, but later on she will do.

Livonia got away well and kept in second position to the finish, where he had enough left to stall off the determined rush of Good Ship, who closed with a belated rush. Inflection, who finished fourth, had a lot of speed, but was not there when the real racing began. Inflection had a rough journey, being kept in the worst going.

**An Easy Winner**  
Smiley Corbett, Cahill's consistent sprinter, was as good as three to one in the last event of the day and simply galloped the whole way. Away from the barrier first, the big horse had his dizzy chasing him and never caused his backers any anxiety. Bothwell was the medium of considerable play and could have won if he had not been entered. Williams' game horse made up a world of ground and easily held second place safe from Inflection. Jacobite showed speed, but was not in a position to make a move. Madman ran an unaccountably dull race. My Amelia came to life unexpectedly in the opening event, a scramble over the future of four-year-olds, and got the decision by a nose from the favorite, Silver Streaking. Gilbert avoided the early pace on Amelia and took the lead on the last turn, outgamed the favorite and won the race. In the second race, the big horse had his dizzy chasing him and never caused his backers any anxiety. Bothwell was the medium of considerable play and could have won if he had not been entered. Williams' game horse made up a world of ground and easily held second place safe from Inflection. Jacobite showed speed, but was not in a position to make a move. Madman ran an unaccountably dull race. My Amelia came to life unexpectedly in the opening event, a scramble over the future of four-year-olds, and got the decision by a nose from the favorite, Silver Streaking. Gilbert avoided the early pace on Amelia and took the lead on the last turn, outgamed the favorite and won the race.

**Lady Carol Quit**  
Lady Carol, the favorite in the second race, quit to nothing when called on in the stretch and failed to get any part of the money. The winner turned up in Banquet, a twelve to one shot, who was skillfully piloted by Motter. The boy rode his mount with a steady hand and ran over the leaders in the stretch. Silver Streaking was a game race and got the place from Wap. The latter finished last and would have won if he had not let him down sooner.

Berry Maid was far the best in the third race and held his hold easily. The boy laid off the early pace and coming into the stretch forgot the race. Berry Maid was never in danger thereafter. Cloudlight finished like a cyclone and, running over horses at the finish beat Ocean Queen for the place. Inflection quit after showing a lot of early speed.

**The Peer a Surprise**  
The Peer surprised the talent in the fourth race by winning from a stiff field of distance performers. Ross rode his mount well up all the way and came to the front with a steady hand. Berry Maid looked a sure winner coming down the stretch but relinquished the lead to the winner at the last moment. The Peer hung on well and lasted long enough to grab the short end of the purse. Dollie finished last and would have won if he had not let him down sooner.

**Week's Forecast**  
With but a few days more than a week off until the running of the big "Dorothy" much interest in sporting circles is centered on the coming six days of races offered for the coming six days is liable to suffer in comparison to the

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in Sixth

Greer Handicap a Gift  
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132 Pounds Up

By LEE DEMIER

will make him thousands more friendly of the right sort of American citizens. President-elect Taft ought to be a turtarman, for he was raised just across the river from Kentucky, where all the good horses are bred, and when he and General Chaffin were in the Philippines together, he was out of the civil and military governments of our far-away possessions, both general and military figures at the Manila racecourse.

The custom in that country, as in South America, France and Germany, is to make Sunday the big racing day of the week. That is the holiday for all and racing becomes the chief feature of the afternoon's recreation.

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Racing in Manila may be vastly different from that in this country and then again it may not be, but it is interesting to note that our President-elect patronized the same sport that takes 60,000 New Yorkers to Rutherford Bay for the Saturday and the Pasty Racing Association at Manila conducted regular two meetings in the season and Mr. Taft and General Chaffin were always there to enjoy the sport, besides acting as the chief officials of the meeting by virtue of their distinguished offices.

**Taft a Friend of Racing**  
When William H. Taft is inaugurated President of the United States at Washington a little more than a month hence, this country will have a Chief Executive who is a good friend of racing.

President-elect Taft is making friends in thousands of racing fans. He is selected by the people to succeed President Roosevelt, and the fact that he has been and is a racing man is the most wholesome and attractive sport in the world along with every red-blooded man who has ever had the opportunity.

**KING JAMES WINS CALIFORNIA HANDICAP IN CLOSE FINISH**  
SANTA ANITA PARK, Los Angeles, Feb. 13.—The annual renewal of the \$10,000 California Handicap for three-year-olds and upward at one and a half miles, for the year 1908, was won by King James, by the shortest of noses.

In fact, but the flare of a nostril separated Hildreth's horse from George Bell's erratic speed. Mr. Maudslayi, with the St. James Stables' string of mare, Miss Sam, a bang-up third. Maltbie was really best, for Page let him stumble and fall into a bumping match with Light Wagon, who was for home, which proved to be a handicap for him to overcome in the struggle at the post.

**Dugan Rides King James**  
Hildreth had in Montgomery, with Powers up, and King James, with Dugan, in the early part of the race. King James laid in behind the early pace at stakes and Miss Sam at 15 to 1. King James laid in behind the early pace at stakes and Miss Sam at 15 to 1. King James laid in behind the early pace at stakes and Miss Sam at 15 to 1.

**15,000 At Track**  
Durante and Jockey Lee were stalled in a railroad blockade up at Santa Anita and did not reach the course in time. Secretary Smith, holding the close of entries for twenty minutes over time, King James ran and won a race in today's California Handicap, which is a better than his winning performance in the Burns Handicap. The attraction of a big race and simply ideal racing weather brought out fully 15,000 racegoers, the

**Benefit Game At St. Mary's**  
Baseball fans are glad in having an opportunity to watch the speedy Phoenix players of St. Mary's College in action. The game was played at St. Mary's in a benefit game with the Oakland Bankers' nine at the college grounds.

The proceeds from the contest will go to the St. Mary's College fund. The young athletes of Oakland, who have been stricken seriously ill and in need of assistance. The boys are in hopes of raising a tidy sum, and, judging from the amount of interest that is being manifested in today's battle, their hopes will be more than realized.

St. Mary's will put its best team in the field, the same that defeated the stalwarts of the University of California yesterday by the score of 4 to 1. This is a guarantee of a good game, for the time-up included as a bunch of amateurs have been seen around these premises for some time.

The Bankers claim that they know a thing or two about the national pastime and can outplay the college boys. The \$20 goal places. There will be a large representation of the financial institutions at the exhibition, and the word is being whispered around that the financials have practiced a war-whoop that will put the yell of the Wallabies in the shade.

The game will be called promptly at 2.30.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 13.**—Johnny Hayes, the professional Marathon runner, has in all probability run his last race. The American Olympic hero has been boycotted by promoters of professional Marathons. Hayes has but himself to blame. He failed to live up to a contract with the Powers and Harry Toulson, the Madison Square Garden manager, through his counsel of his return of advisers the young man bore his own way to practically a road to fortune. After signing for the Denmore race at the Garden, Hayes held up the management for more money.



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One of the Best Known Horsemen Before the American Public.

**WALLABIES EASILY WIN FROM STAR CALIFORNIANS**  
Antipodean Rugby Players Trail Pride of California's Pick in the Sand and Mud Yesterday Afternoon.

By EDDIE SMITH.

ARE the Wallabies good Rugby players? No, children, they are Rugby experts who have learned every point of the art of handling a football, and are, besides that, a collection of athletes that any country could well be proud of. The Australian Rugby players yesterday took our proud All-Star California team into camp with such ease that we were left wondering if it was indeed a new experience for us to have foreign athletes of any kind come here and take up in their "Tommy" turn the game of Rugby. The Australians in about two minutes, and just for that, the Australian Rugby experts trimmed us to the tune of 17 to 0 with about the easiest sort of trying.

Of course, we are trying to say that our boys were not in shape and all that, and we have plenty of excuses, but when it comes right down to the point of the thing we use the kind of good in the head and the kind of good in the feet, and we are willing to acknowledge the superiority of the Antipodeans. They are not only better than we are, but they are better than we are, and we are willing to acknowledge the superiority of the Antipodeans. They are not only better than we are, but they are better than we are, and we are willing to acknowledge the superiority of the Antipodeans.

**Australians Hardier**  
To one sitting on the benches it would seem that the Antipodeans were made up of what the writer has often called "the best kind of men." They were the kind of men who have been taken with plain living, which, after years of athletic study, has led us to believe in the practice of the best kind of men. They were the kind of men who have been taken with plain living, which, after years of athletic study, has led us to believe in the practice of the best kind of men.

**Wonders at Passing**  
The Wallabies also gave us a sample of the art of passing the ball that will do us some good. Not one second did they hesitate about throwing the ball when they are in danger, pass it and then pass it again, and this is to be their motto in playing. And, this thing of holding the ball is one of our worst faults.

The All Star team is an experiment, however, for although at times all star teams play great games, nine times out of ten a regular team of lesser lights can beat them if they do not have time to practice, a thing our team lacked. We are very optimistic of the future, though, for we know that our boys made a very creditable showing under the handicap.

**STORY BY EXPERT**  
By DOUGLAS ERSKINE  
THE Australian Rugby football team showed a little more "class" than the All-Californians yesterday, and the game played at the Eleventh and Mission street grounds resulted in a victory for the Antipodean victors by a score of 17 to 0.

Well, it shows that we have something to learn yet. With only three years' experience in the game of Rugby, California could hardly be expected to break even with the Antipodeans. The Antipodeans were the kind of men who have been taken with plain living, which, after years of athletic study, has led us to believe in the practice of the best kind of men.

**Luck Against Locals**  
Woods hit the nail on the head. It was the lack of that indefinable something which makes an experienced player. The Antipodeans were the kind of men who have been taken with plain living, which, after years of athletic study, has led us to believe in the practice of the best kind of men.

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## TRIBUNE'S FORM CHART

EMERYVILLE RACE TRACK, Feb. 13, 1909.—85th Day.

Fall and winter meeting. Weather threatening. Track sloppy.

E. C. HOPPER, Presiding; Judge, RICHARD DWYER; Starter.

4101 FIFTH RACE—Futurity course; stalling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$500.

Ind.	Horse	Age	Sex	Owner	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	F.	Jockey	Op.	Cl.
4087	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4088	Silver Streaking	4	M	B.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4089	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4090	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4091	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4092	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4093	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4094	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4095	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4096	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

4102 SECOND RACE—Futurity course; stalling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$500.

Ind.	Horse	Age	Sex	Owner	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	F.	Jockey	Op.	Cl.
4097	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4098	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4099	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4100	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4101	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4102	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4103	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4104	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4105	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4106	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

4103 THIRD RACE—Futurity course; stalling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$500.

Ind.	Horse	Age	Sex	Owner	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	F.	Jockey	Op.	Cl.
4097	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4098	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4099	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
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4102	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4103	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4104	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4105	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4106	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

4104 FOURTH RACE—Futurity course; stalling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$500.

Ind.	Horse	Age	Sex	Owner	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	F.	Jockey	Op.	Cl.
4097	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4098	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4099	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4100	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4101	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
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4105	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4106	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

4105 FIFTH RACE—Futurity course; stalling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$500.

Ind.	Horse	Age	Sex	Owner	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	F.	Jockey	Op.	Cl.
4097	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4098	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
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4104	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4105	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4106	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

4106 SIXTH RACE—Futurity course; stalling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$500.

Ind.	Horse	Age	Sex	Owner	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	F.	Jockey	Op.	Cl.
4097	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4098	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4099	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4100	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4101	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4102	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4103	My Amelia	6	F	D. W.	110	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1



# ENTERTAINMENT BY ST. JOSEPH'S

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ELEANOR AGNES FISCHER.

## Clever Benefit Operetta To Be Given Under the Direction of the Author

An entertainment and ball will be given for the benefit of St. Joseph's Portuguese Church in Acatina Hall February 13. Members of the church are displaying much interest in the affair which will be managed by Miss L. Allen, an active worker in the parish. She will be assisted in arranging the entertainment by Rev. Father Galle and Mr. Jones.

The program will be rendered by young people who will present a clever opera entitled "The Rose and the Pearl." Miss Jean McDonald is the author. She will direct the performance which will be very attractive. Dancing, fairy tales and witches will be leaders in the production.

### "Rose and the Pearl"

The cast is as follows:  
Fairy Queen, Miss Marguerite Gomez, Florinda, Miss Emily Barboza, Yornigal, Miss Eleanor Fisher, Fairies, Misses Lola Donnelly, Dorothy King, Lida Corvina, Mammie, Maching, Miss Sweet, Bernice Youngery, Holmra, Soares and Consuela de Javaga, Witches, Misses Leitha Thompson, Mammie Thomas, Anna Foster and Laura Thomas.  
Spanish dance, Miss Lilla Platt. Song and dance, Miss Bernice Youngery. Solo, Miss Eleanor Fisher. Song and dance, Miss Marguerite Gomez.

## MEXICAN COURTS UPHOLD AMERICAN DIVORCE LAW

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 13.—The Mexican courts, notwithstanding the fact that Mexico has no divorce law, have sustained the divorce laws of the United States.

Ilvino Cont, an Italian architect of this city, was sued for divorce by his wife, who told him from Italy on the ground that they were married in Italy and that that country has no divorce laws.

Court set up the defense that he went to Louisiana to secure a divorce and married there at one time. The Mexican Supreme Court recognized the Louisiana divorce and second marriage and found against the wife from Italy.

## CARLOS OLIVERA WAS LAST OF THE GRANDEES

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 13.—By the death of Carlos Olivera, at his home in Coronado California loses one of the last of the direct descendants of the old noblemen whose names shine on the pages of her early history. Olivera was the son of the last Governor of the Pueblo of Los Angeles under Spanish regime. Large holdings of property from the maternal estates were inherited by Olivera, which he owned at the time of his death, including large acreage in San Diego county and part of the X-Mission ranch. He was also one of the heirs of the Tia Juana grant just across the Mexican side.

## ACCUSES MRS. STIRLING AND LORD NORTLAND

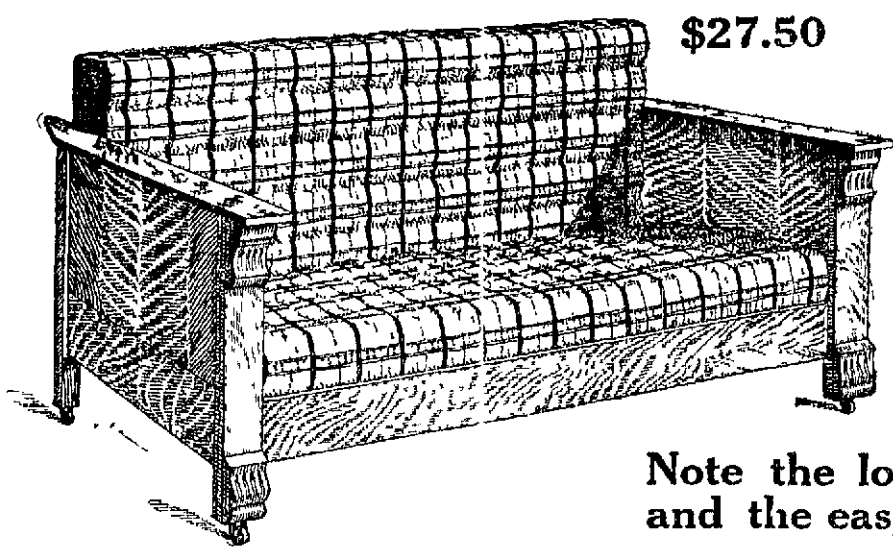
EDINBURGH, Feb. 13.—At the conclusion today of the Stirling case suits for divorce counsel for Mrs. Stirling addressed the court on the husband's suit, charging that his wife had misappropriated herself with Lord Northland.  
The lawyer laid great stress on the intimate acquaintance between Lord Northland and Mrs. Stirling before her marriage, when she was Elizabeth Taylor. He said Mrs. Stirling's letters to Lord Northland after her husband's discovery clearly involved the admission of improper relations and that she returned from America not because she suspected any wrong doing between her husband and Mrs. Atherton, but because she could not live without Lord Northland.

## Overfatness Condemned

Fat, or even fatish women readers who want to be in the mode this year must understand that the demand is for lines and grace, and govern themselves accordingly.  
That means "Off" with the fat. It has been a long time since the fashioning of clothes or dieting, but it is certain they will find these methods too slow and unreliable. The "Marmola" Prescription Tablets get in form for the Dietetic mode is by means of Marmola's Prescription Tablets. Any (rue)st, for the Marmola Company, Detroit, Mich.) will give you a large-sized case of these elegant little tablets in accordance with the famous Marmola Prescription, they are of course quite harmless. They are rather benumbing the stomach and causing a weakening of the liver.

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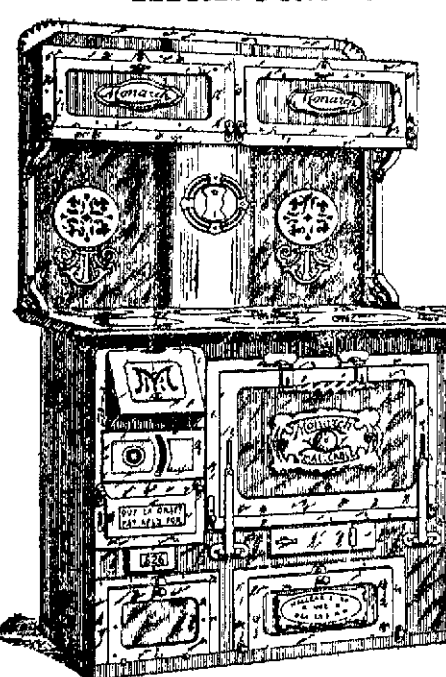
This coupon is good for one fourth off the marked price of any new article (specials excepted) in the kitchen department. Not valid for cash. Not to be used in conjunction with other discounts. Bring this coupon.

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It costs you \$65.00, installed in your home and up according to size---the lowest possible price a high class Malleable Range can be sold for. It's just as good after it's in your house ten years as the day you put it there. It's a good piece of property.

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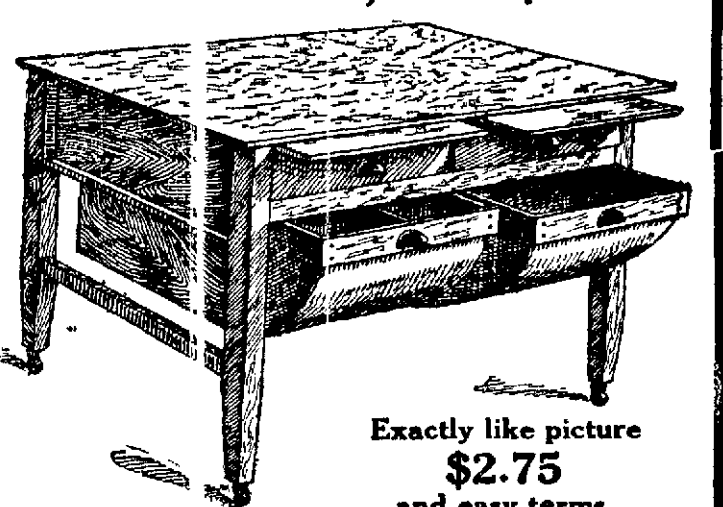
Special terms, \$5.00 cash and \$1.00 per week

## Body Brussels rugs, size 9x12 feet, for \$21.00

The lowest price genuine Body Brussels Rugs have been offered for anywhere---and they are all new patterns---in Oriental, all-over effects, soft wood colors, etc. Regular \$35.00 values Monday and Tuesday.

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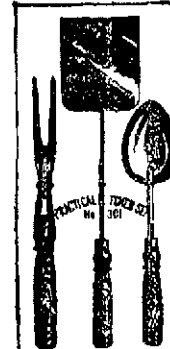
Or should you buy this table now at special price and on the special terms and at any time this year you buy an outfit of goods amounting to \$50.00 or over cash or credit, at Jackson's the \$2.75 paid for the table will be credited to your purchase.

## Ostermoe mattress

Annual February sale as advertised in all magazines, regular \$30.00, extra thick French edge mattress, special **\$18.50**

## Kitchen set 20c The Jackson Monday Special

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## LUMBERMEN FIGHT TARIFF REDUCTION

### B. E. Skinner Sent to Washington to Represent California in Big Lobby

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Lumbermen in San Francisco have sent B. E. Skinner to Washington to represent them in the big lobby organized to fight the proposed recommendation of the congressional committee to abolish the tariff on all grades of lumber.  
The lobby represents lumber interests from every portion of the country and unusual influence is being brought to bear on the congressional committee to save at least a portion of the tariff that now protects the American market from Canadian lumber.  
The proposed recommendation of the congressional committee is declared to be the most radical action ever contemplated against an established industry of equal proportion and is said to have been inspired by Chief Forester Gifford Pinchot who believes that with free low grade lumber American forests will be conserved as they can by no other possible means.

### Call Legislation Drastic

The lumbermen believe they can induce Pinchot to modify his views and prove to him that the proposed legislation is unnecessarily drastic.  
Skinner, who is representing the lumber interests of California and the state of Washington at the capital is in contact with the firm of Benton Holmes & Co. of this city and is president of the executive branch of the California tariff revision committee.  
Arthur H. Briggs who is head of this committee and president of the California State Board of Trade said yesterday that the proposed legislation would be a death blow to the lumber interests of California as well as other parts of the country.

### Loss of Millions

California lumbermen have a hard enough time as it is to get a new dollar for an old one. And Briggs, with the abolition of the tariff and the free entry of Canadian lumber the dealers here would virtually have to shut up shop and go out of business. The legislation is also

together too drastic and it is being resisted in every State in the Union. It does not seem likely that the recommendation will be carried into effect. If it were it would mean a loss of millions of dollars annually to American industries.

The lumbermen's lobby is particularly active in trying to pick up at least the tariff on low grade lumber claiming that if it were admitted from Canada would mean the American market at such low prices that American dealers would not be able to compete. The lobby also argues that it would mean a waste of 75 per cent of the lumber cut each year in the United States.

## ASSERTS LOCK SYSTEM SHOULD NOT BE USED

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—"The construction of the Gatun Dam now being constructed by the United States Government on the Panama Canal will result in the greatest disaster to any public work probably, that has ever been built."  
This was the statement made today by P. Bunau-Villia, the French engineer who arrived here on the French line steamer La Provence from Havre. He frequently asserted that the construction of a lock canal was entirely impracticable. He said today that he had not changed his views in this respect.

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Rengo is for sale and recommended in Oakland by the Owl Drug Co. 10th and Broadway, Washington and 10th and 13th and 15th and 16th and 17th and 18th and 19th and 20th and 21st and 22nd and 23rd and 24th and 25th and 26th and 27th and 28th and 29th and 30th and 31st and 32nd and 33rd and 34th and 35th and 36th and 37th and 38th and 39th and 40th and 41st and 42nd and 43rd and 44th and 45th and 46th and 47th and 48th and 49th and 50th and 51st and 52nd and 53rd and 54th and 55th and 56th and 57th and 58th and 59th and 60th and 61st and 62nd and 63rd and 64th and 65th and 66th and 67th and 68th and 69th and 70th and 71st and 72nd and 73rd and 74th and 75th and 76th and 77th and 78th and 79th and 80th and 81st and 82nd and 83rd and 84th and 85th and 86th and 87th and 88th and 89th and 90th and 91st and 92nd and 93rd and 94th and 95th and 96th and 97th and 98th and 99th and 100th and 101st and 102nd and 103rd and 104th and 105th and 106th and 107th and 108th and 109th and 110th and 111th 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GETTING READY FOR A  
BIG POLITICAL FIGHT  
IN SAN FRANCISCO

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CARROLL COOK MAY BE  
A CANDIDATE FOR DIS-  
TRICT ATTORNEY

SAN FRANCISCO, February 13.—The Good Government League is going right at it for the municipal election this year. The Reformers are going to raise \$25,000 before next week to make the fight. The subscription list is out and the money is being paid in.

But we are to have no more of our genial poetic friends with the ruffles on his verses and on his hair, Fuzzy Wuzzy Taylor. The Goo-Gos have decided that the Mayor, unlike Kipling's Fuzzy Wuzzy, is not a first-class fighting man. He has done too much politics to suit their ideas of what is sacred and ethically innume. The one to whom the women point as sinless is to them full of guile.

They are going to put forward a straight ticket. No combination with the wicked Gavin McNab this time. No allegiance with monstrous Arthur Fisk or disreputable Johnny Lynch. Their ticket is to be stainless, immaculate, chemically pure.

And their candidate for Mayor is James Rolph Jr., supposed to be the idol of the Mission. He has been the thorn in the side of the Merchants' Exchange since he became the President of that resolution-passing body. The Goo-Gos have figured out that 60 per cent of the vote of San Francisco resides south of Sixteenth street, and that is where Rolph is suppositiously strong.

Then, again, it is in the figures that the labor faction headed by Andrew Furuseth, Walter McArthur and Sweeney will stand for him gladly and glibly, though, of course, the Caseyites, with the followers of P. H. McCarthy and Olaf Tveit, will take some other end of it. There are rumors that McNab has his perennial candidate, Dr. T. B. W. Leland, up his sleeve for Mayor, but the foxy Scot moves in a mysterious way his political wonders to perform, and he may not be pinning his hopes to the alphabetical Coroner of the whiskers except as a bluff.

And Langdon is to pass. With this year he is to cease from troubling politics and politicians. He will not be renominated for District Attorney. Upon the feast of Lupercal he will thrust away the crown—once, twice, thrice. For he is to become a lady's man.

You see, Langdon "married rich." His wife has vast estates down Modesto way, inherited from her first husband, who was, like the Marquis of Carabas, "the richest and roundest of men" in all that countryside. And Langdon would put aside the toil and travail of public service to look after his wife's holdings. The eye of faith sees him in broad hat and top boots brushing aside the dews of dawn to go forth and boss the plow boys and the milkers, or to open up the ditches so that the alfalfa may grow with the same luxuriance of his whiskers.

As for the Sheriff, Dolan is said to have displeased McNab without winning favor with the unco guid. So for him a nomination dazzles in vain. The Goo-Gos are circulating the tale that McNab has entered into a combination with Michael Casey to give that aspiring teamster the dearest wish of his heart—a nomination for High Sheriff.

But Edmond Godchaux, the Recorder, is an especial pet of the Goo-Gos and is certain of their endorsement. As he can often be found getting out of the Call building elevator at McNab's floor he evidently is playing both ends against the middle, just as he made his declaration at the time of the big strike: "My sympathies are with the side that needs them the most!" As Kipling said of poor Jim Carlin, though with a reversal of the accent, "Wallah! There is a man!"

The "Organization" would just as soon take up Jim Rolph as anybody else, though Tim Sullivan and his County Committee do not want him. Tim would like to have a Mayor of his own who would report on to him, and he has two or three men in training out in the Thirty-seventh District. But as yet no one has appeared as the bright, particular star of the Performers.

Often the name of Harbor Commissioner Stafford is brought up as a willing candidate. He has made a success as head of the commission and has the esteem of the commercial community. Then, too, as a former railroad man and a Labor Commissioner, he has a vogue among the unions. But for all of that his is hardly the name to charm and hold the general voter and so he is not expected to be the nominee of the regulars.

The bogey of Carroll Cook continues to rise up to plague the good people who thought they had laid his wraith when they defeated him last fall. But now suppose he should put himself forward for District Attorney this year. We are likely to have the direct primary, you know, and it is not at all hard to imagine Carroll Cook getting away with a Republican nomination at a direct primary, with a plurality vote clinching that nomination. And a lot of people would vote for Carroll Cook for District Attorney who wouldn't vote for him for Judge. So with a Democratic candidate and a Goo-Goo candidate it would not take much of a political miracle to see Carroll Cook beating both of them. Just watch the fear of this ghost take hold and grow.

Do you know that if the clergy had let the thing alone years ago we would not have had all this fuss and scare over the Japanese school question. In 1894 we had a great school board—a board so devoted to the schools that they turned all the teacher patronage over to the State University. And yet we had as the leading spirits of the board Fred Hyde and Jere Burke. This was in the days of the old charter, with twelve board members. Burke introduced and passed by a vote of 7 to 5 a resolution providing for a separate school for all Chinese and Japanese pupils. That was before Japan had whipped China and

Russia. She hadn't a great fleet or a great merchant marine. She wouldn't have let out a peep of protest if the separate schools had been established under that resolution.

But up spoke the Rev. E. R. Dille and a lot of other Protestant clergymen and said the separation of the pupils would interfere with missionary work. So they got Fred Hyde to espouse their cause. But for all of Hyde's labor he could only muster six votes, and six votes wouldn't rescind that resolution.

So Hyde and the ministers went to the late Archbishop Montgomery and worked upon him until, at the last minute, he went in a carriage and dug up Director Carew, the undertaker, prevailing upon him to make the seventh vote to rescind the resolution for the separate school. And out of that grew all our recent woe. But for the rescinding of the resolution the separate schools would have been established and in working order all these years. No nation, however bumptious, would have thought of protesting against a well-established custom.

Speaking of the Japanese, John C. Lynch, former Collector of Internal Revenue, brought from Honolulu a cry of the whites there: "For heaven's sake don't bring on war until we are fortified." Every time he mentioned the Japs some one would whisk him across the island in an automobile to show how the fortifications were entirely inadequate to prevent the landing of a hostile force.

Then, too, Lynch brought back an entertaining story of how a Japanese spy had crept right into the heart of Uncle Sam's customs service at the islands. The Collector of Customs employed a Japanese laborer at \$4.00 a week as yard boy. That yard boy was the best ever. He worked all over the yard and the house and the office.

One night they found in that laborer's room a French dictionary, a Greek dictionary and some copious notes in a scholarly hand. There were also drawings. And since then the only effort of the Collector has been to furnish that laborer at \$4.00 a week with a great deal of valuable misinformation about the country's customs affairs.

The tip comes from Sacramento that the Direct Primary bill is likely to pass in rather a radical form. The Senate reformers seem to have the Performers on the run as they did in the matter of the racetrack bill. This is shown by the way the weak Senators are suddenly lining up for a real direct primary law.

The whisper is that the bill will be made indirect instead of direct when it gets into the Assembly. But the nine gods of Lars Porsona couldn't tell what the Assembly will do on anything. That body of seventy-nine men is the most disorganized and disarranged lot who ever sat together in legislation. Nobody seems to have the least idea how they will really stand toward the direct primary. In fact, they are apt to stand one way at night and quite another the next morning.

Here in San Francisco the Supervisors are going to submit a charter amendment to the people providing a direct primary scheme for our municipal affairs entirely independent of the State plan. It is said they have promised to make this submission entirely without a preliminary petition from the people. So we are going to have all sorts of fads and fancies in our politics before many years have rolled around.

The Union League Club has moved into its new quarters at Powell and O'Farrell streets. The members are much dissatisfied with their latest home and are outspoken in that regard to a degree that might be considered by some as far from "clubby." The Union League claims to be the Simon-pure Republican Club of San Francisco, if not of California. The fact is that its most conspicuous members follow other political gods and each campaign finds them supporting Democratic and sideshow candidates in proportion to the freakiness of these aspirants for office and the bitterness of their assaults upon the regular Republican ticket. So disloyal to party are these men who pose in public as Republicans that even among themselves they call the Union League the "Crank Club."

Just now the members are engaged in a genuine kicking fest. They claim that the situation of the club building is undesirable, being on a corner in the business section and consequently quite noisy. They even charge real estate motives in the selection of the site.

The German grill has been described by its promoters as a "wonder." The disgruntled members, strange as it may appear, agree with this designation and declare that the grill is indeed a "wonder" in that those members who would indulge in a midnight Welsh rarebit have to seek that dainty in restaurants adjacent to the club.

Probably it is in the imported art furniture and decorations that the "cranks" find the most fertile field for their caustic criticisms. They assert that these art treasures were selected in Europe by a no less connoisseur than Donald De V. Graham, once extensively known in this city as a singer, agent for champagne, society and clubman.

Among the articles of bijouterie and vertu—which a leading member terms "bigotry and virtue"—none excites the ire of the stout men of the club more than the Dural chairs. They describe the diameter of the seats as that of a pie plate and after a fat and loyal member has sat on one of them for a half hour the expression he uses in describing his pains, if not his agonies, might be construed by the unfriendly as club treason.

There are cynical leaguers who protest that they have been unable to determine whether the electroliners were intended for pipe-racks or hat-racks. When these members sit on a gilded Dural chair and contemplate these electroliners their name is anathema.

The disgruntled members announce that they are simply awaiting the striking of a balance between the \$87,000 cash the club had in bank and the art treasures, and then the storm, the rumblings of which are now distinctly heard, will break in all its fury and the Dural chairs and electroliners will be superceded by articles of domestic manufacture and the foreign art treasures consigned to a junk-shop to be selected by a new club administration.

The new Board of Public Works appears to have got itself into trouble quite early in its career. Commissioners Day and McGilivray have been in control of that municipal department but a few weeks, but already they have stirred up a political hornet's nest that will continue to pursue and sting the present administration down and through the next municipal campaign.

Recently the board dismissed or laid off about 150 of the old employees. Of these some were not needed because of the rain, others were incompetent and a goodly percentage were the appointees of Michael Casey, not a short time since the President of the board, but now in a hopeless minority of one. It is said that the majority propose to pass it to Casey very hard, and as the former teamster is of a reasonable temper they may force him out of the board which seems to be the intention of the new members. Some of the men who have been laid off have been promised reinstatement at a later date, but the indications are that the majority of those now out will remain away from the public crib for a long time to come. As each one of these is a politician of no mean repute among his class in the districts there will be political reprisals and the present administration has but begun a war that will be waged for many a month to come.

As annoying as they may become the troubles of the Board of Works with the discharged men are insignificant compared to the disturbance that is liable to result from charges filed with the Labor Council, and to investigate which that body has appointed a committee. The accusation is that the Spreckels-Taylor administration has, through its Board of Works, undertaken a systematic reduction of wages from the regular schedule. It is alleged that Day and McGilivray, two extensive contractors and builders deeply interested in a general reduction of the wages of labor, were especially selected to inaugurate on behalf of the city a war on labor which will eventually result in a still more general reduction of wages than has yet been carried into effect. Up to the present the carpenters, plumbers and bricklayers have been the principal sufferers by the policy of the new Board of Works, they having sustained a reduction of 50 cents a day in their wages.

Market street just now is a monument to the present municipal administration. From Montgomery street west it is full of chuckholes, humps and hollows. The inspiring spectacle of an empty two-horse dray stalled in a chuckhole near Lotta's Fountain, the very center of the city, was presented a few days ago. Taxpayers and non-taxpayers gathered by the hundreds to listen to the remarks of the driver and to witness the efforts of the tugging team. The wheels of the dray had gone into the hole so deep that the bed of the heavy vehicle rested on the surrounding pavement that stood at the normal grade. By the use of levers and the aid of citizens who contributed their shoulders to the effort, the dray was once more sent on its course, bumping through chuckholes along Market street.

Ned Greenway, the local leader of society, has been called in to help make the Kirmess Society affair for charity a success. It is to be an amateur theatrical stunt. William H. Crocker of the Crocker National Bank has returned from New York with accounts of how similar charitable affairs in the metropolis have been successful under the patronage of men like E. H. Harriman and J. Pierpont Morgan. Crocker has given an impetus to the affair and the ladies interested have called on Greenway to help them out. He has made liberal responses. Through his suggestions and influence, Charles de Young of the Chronicle and his talented sister, Kathryn, are to dance a "Merry Widow" waltz. Rehearsals are now in progress and those who have been privileged to see them are loud in their praise of the artistic performance the members of the de Young family are to give.

At the St. Francis Hotel many fine social affairs are being held this winter. To outsiders these social meetings seem to be in opposition to the Greenway gatherings at the Fairmont. They are to a certain extent. It is only a friendly rivalry. Political leaders are not by any means dictating the St. Francis dances and suppers. James Woods, the manager of the St. Francis, hails from New Orleans and New York. He has the suave culture of the South, and the shrewd business training of the big New York hotels. He is an admirer of Colonel J. C. Kirkpatrick of the Fairmont and also appreciates the social value and diplomacy of Greenway. He refuses to mix in the political bitterness displayed by certain politicians. So the two leading hotels of the town are giving their social functions in their own way, regardless of what certain men would have.

Fire and earthquake are now merely an historic memory here. As of yore, the social features of the town are vibrant, pleasant, sweet. The epicures are about to incorporate. An off-shoot of the Epicure Club is the Friendly Club. Let me explain. Superior Judge Jahaniess, former Congressman James G. Maguire, Police Judge Conlan, Carl Lindsay, the tal-

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ented mining attorney, and a host of other men in this city and Marin county way are to incorporate the Epicures for \$10,000 over in Marin county, near San Anselmo. Bullshead breakfasts and other Spanish dishes of Alto California are to be the specialties of the club. The members of this institution are to have a large building built of redwood logs, with ample room for social gatherings and with plenty of fireplace to cook the dishes Spanish and Mexican grandeers were formerly proud to boast of in these parts.

The Friendly Club is more nomadic, or if you please, somewhat impromptu. The Epicures are a club of but fifty members. The former has grown to eighty members and most of the Epicure institution belong to it. The Friendlies, to speak familiarly, meet every second Thursday in some San Francisco restaurant and are going the rounds of every big restaurant in the city. Each member is assessed \$1.00 for dinner and has the privilege of inviting a friend who must also pay for his meal. At the rate this Friendly Club is growing, it is said it will have 150 members by April. Restaurant proprietors think this is one of the best dinner innovations they ever heard of, and in consequence they are taking off their hats to the Friendlies. Some of the enthusiastic members of the club think by next November, when the new Palace Hotel is opened, the Friendlies will be able to invade that place at the dinner hour 250 strong.

German newspapers are saying much about Isidor B. Rosencrantz of this city. They state he is about to launch a remarkable musical invention on the German public. One of the papers goes so far as to assert that Mr. Rosencrantz seemingly "has re-discovered the long lost arts of imparting to violins that peculiar sweetness, fullness and rich, mellow quality of tone which has rendered the old Cremonese instruments—Stradivari, Guarneri and Amati—famous throughout three centuries." The story of how this American inventor made his remarkable discovery is full of interest. It did not come as the inspiration of the moment. Mr. Rosencrantz is said to have worked on his scheme for twenty-two years. He started on the problem of why two pieces of wood put together by a Stradivari two hundred odd years ago should today be valued at 50,000 marks, and should unquestionably be indefinitely superior to any modern violin. Originally a violinist himself, the problem became one of peculiarly deep interest, so much so that he went to work for purposes of experimentation and took to pieces a violin long in the possession of his family and valued

at 20,000 marks. He subjected the wood of this costly instrument to a thorough-going process of downright boiling and stewing. The residue was then analyzed with a view to separating the varnish from the stain and discovering the ingredients of both, whilst the wood itself was placed in the hands of prominent analysts who were to decide upon a point of pre-eminent importance—namely, what chemical changes it had undergone during a period of 250 years. The result of this investigation is a secret which he is soon to disclose.

The United States Ambassador to Germany, Mr. Hill, and the American Secretary of State, Elihu Root, are interested in Mr. Rosencrantz's work and he has letters from them to some of the most prominent people in Europe.

M. F. Tarpey, the Cincinnati of Fresno, one-time member from California on the Democratic National Committee, and H. D. Loveland, a member of the State Board of Railroad Commissioners, and a member of the executive council of the Trans-Mississippi Congress and its former president, are both being seriously discredited by some of the leading business organizations in San Francisco and Los Angeles, as the two men who should be voted for as the Republican and Democratic candidates at the next gubernatorial election. Loveland is ambitious. He would like the honor. Tarpey has informed some of these people that he does not want any more politics except as a citizen to cast his vote for good men in county, state and national affairs. Tarpey voted for Taft at the last election, but still classes himself as a Democrat. He has sacrificed much in a business way because of the demands of Democratic politics on his time during the past twenty years, and thinks he will be better off and better satisfied to act the role of a private citizen and business man hereafter.

Mr. Loveland is after the next Republican nomination for Governor. His friends expect he will make a strong showing at the proper time. They also say he dictates the present policy of the State Board of Railroad Commissioners. They say he got his colleagues on the board, Irwin of Marysville and Summerland of Los Angeles, to vote with him in fixing the Santa Fe Railroad \$5,000 for giving the Associated Oil Company rebates on oil shipments. President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe is said not to feel aggrieved at the commissioners for making this fine, in view of the advice they got from their attorney, U. S. Webb, Attorney-General of the State. Ripley, however, intends to appeal to the courts against this fine.

J. Alhearn Folger, the business and social man of San Francisco, and R. M. Hotelling, the millionaire clubman and ac-

tor, and his confidential man, W. M. Rank, view railroad matters from different standpoints. As a matter of fact, Hotelling has assumed the role of a railroad humorist. He and Rank have a fully developed railroad scheme to build an electric system from a point on Richardson bay, opposite Sausalito, via San Rafael to Napa, and thence to Lakeport and Sacramento. They have already spent over \$500,000 for surveys and rights of way. Hotelling calls the proposed road the Rank system, and is telling his friend that it is the only road in California which has not suffered any wasouts during the present rainy season.

Mr. Folger, after the big fire, was induced by J. Downey Harvey to become an investor in and an officer of his Ocean Shore Railway now building between this city and Santa Cruz, along the ocean shore. Folger is already in the road for \$700,000 in cash. Harvey and his mother, Mrs. Eleanor Martin, the society leader, are in the property for much more than that amount. Folger has just borrowed an extra \$200,000 from the Wells-Fargo Nevada National Bank to keep up his end in the property. The scheme is considered good because of the company's San Francisco terminals and franchises. Mr. Folger is a wholesale coffee man and the financial drafts on him for his railroad property are said to have convinced him that railroad building is far more expensive than selling the delightful breakfast beverage in large lots.

"Kid" Sullivan is back in town. The "Kid" is one of the most notorious and successful pickpockets who ever operated in San Francisco. He has promised to be good, however, and no doubt Chief of Police Cook knows what he is about in permitting him to remain in the city. Sullivan was a friend of former Chief of Police Dinan. He is yet a friend of Dinan. The latter used him successfully as a stool pigeon. Where he made a mistake, however, was to permit the "Kid" to lounge around his office after the fire and question people when they called as to why they wanted to see the head official of the San Francisco police. Those who knew him resented his questioning. The many who did not know him got mad when they found out later on to whom they had first to tell their business before they could get into Dinan's office. It is no doubt true that Dinan used this man for much good, but he was indiscreet in allowing him too many privileges around the office after the big fire. As a study in sociology and in modern police methods, it is said that when the "Kid" is in town basking in a police official favor, that the Eastern contingent of light-fingered gentry give this city the overlook. So, probably "all's well that ends well."

THE KNAVE.

## CHAUFFEURS GIVE CHAPERONS CARE

England's Blue-Blooded Girls Are Inclined to Elope With Speeding Autoists

(BY LADY VIOLET GREVILLE.)  
LONDON, Feb. 13.—The practice of young ladies driving cars and going out alone with young, good-looking chauffeurs has added a new anxiety to the already nervous chaperons. A girl in good society who does not go alone to a ball, or for a walk with her parents, spends a great deal of her time in the company of a different class from her own, with whom she passes through all sorts of exciting and dangerous incidents. The association of adventure is one which develops intimacy uncommonly; different ranks are forgotten, the call on personal energy and resourcefulness brings out the best qualities, and stamps the strongest character.

### Romance of Auto

We were shown this in that amusing play, "The Admirable Crichton," where the butler and his mistress, who are completely dominated by his master's family, and compelled to admiration of his feeble young mistress, Mr. Crichton, and the romance of his material day; and as a more educated and refined race of men enter for competition, their chances will be even greater.

Gentlemen find it difficult nowadays to earn a living; they are willing to take all kinds of work. I even heard recently of an army man who applied for a steady job. The employment of chauffeurs carries with it a certain amount of respect and independence. He is a skilled person, an employer, not a servant, he is a man who can dine in the steward's room, and takes his meals out; he combines the smartness and keenness of the soldier with the intelligence and resourcefulness of the scientist. His "employer" lives in his hand, he sits beside them in danger, difficulties, accidents, worries and troubles. He is consulted, trusted, and quite competently paid and duly considered. What wonder that, under the circumstances, chauffeurs are sometimes human, and sometimes presume to make love to the pretty girl at the wheel?

### Shy on Wardrobes

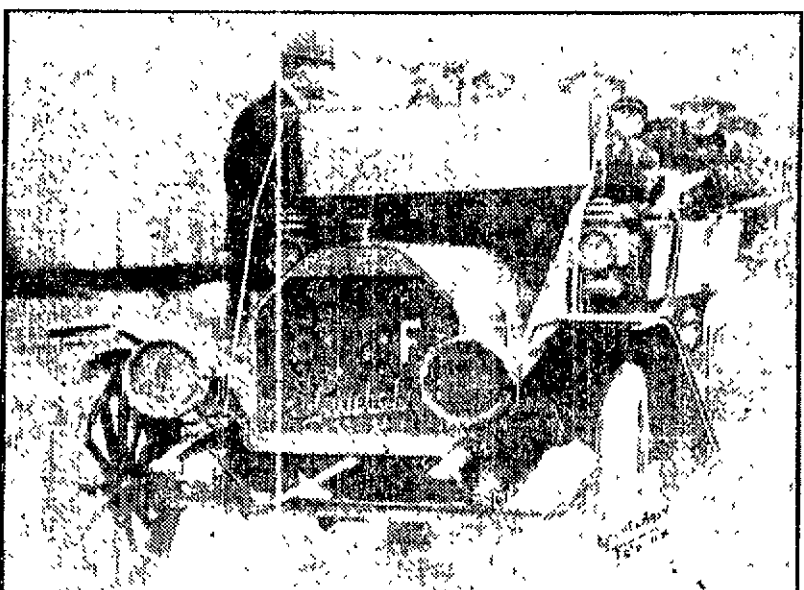
Englishwomen are particularly smart and what maids used to call "dressed in their appearance," yet they are not as careful of their clothes as American or French women. Above all, they have not yet solved the great question of cupboards, a question which the builders of flats and modern houses are too apt to dismiss contemptuously. Cupboards are the ideal towards which the soul of the Scotch housewife turns. The opening of a cupboard, like Mr. Micawber's margin of economy, make all the difference between happiness and misery. American builders and American women, with their keen practical sense, long ago discovered this. In the tiniest flat inhabited by an ordinary clerk's wife intending to do her own housework, are found many ingenious devices, the mere opening of the doors of which lets in floods of light. Such a luxury is unknown here, where we grope in the dark in the hidden recesses of our wardrobe, hanging, and rings are to be found complete for the new tenant.

With all these conveniences and appliances one is not surprised to learn that the American woman takes good care of her clothes, daily stuffing the sleeves of bodices with tissue paper, using folding machines, which carry about with on her travels, folding, spreading, dusting her dresses with meticulous attention. Trees for boots and shoes are universal. Care for dress makes it last far longer, and really the reason why ladies who have inside are usually better dressed than those who have none.

## WINTON COMES TO OAKLAND

Selling Branch Established on Telegraph Avenue

THREE OF THE PERFECT SCORE CARS IN THE 200-MILE ENDURANCE RUN LAST SUNDAY. AT THE LEFT, A. E. HUNTER IN A MITCHELL; UPPER RIGHT, THE E. M. F. STUDEBAKER, AND LOWER RIGHT, CARL CHRISTENSEN IN BUICK WHITE STREAK.—Photos by Knight & Main



By ELIZABETH GREGG.

The latest arrival in Oakland automobile circles is the Winton, the popular six-cylinder car which is sold so extensively in San Francisco. The car is to be handled by W. L. Elliott at 206 Telegraph avenue, in the salesroom of the Western Electric Automobile Company. A demonstrator was brought over last week and Mr. Elliott is already making demonstrations.

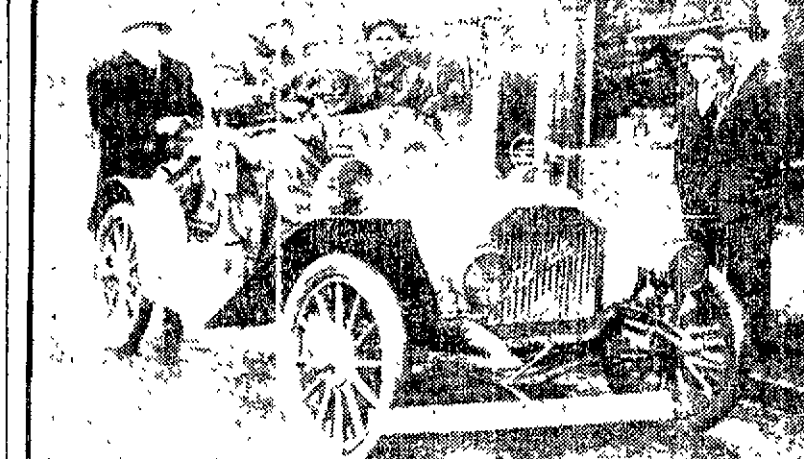
The new branch is established by the Winton Motor Carriage Company of San Francisco, which is a direct branch of the Winton factory in Cleveland, Ohio. There has for some time been a demand for the Winton on this side of the bay, and H. L. Owsen, manager of the San Francisco branch, feels that by having direct representation in Oakland the prospective buyers and present owners can be more easily accommodated.

W. L. Elliott is one of the oldest automobile men in California. He made the first automobile which was used in San Jose, and has kept in close touch with the game ever since the experimental days. For several years Mr. Elliott has been a resident of Oakland, and having sold the automobile palace of the town during this time, he feels satisfied that the general public is ready for a car of the Winton type and price.

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At a luncheon tendered the automobile writers of the United States who attended the recent Automobile Show, Mr. George B. Sheldon, the man who in-



vented the gasoline automobile, was presented by Mr. E. L. Thomas, representing the E. R. Thomas Motor Company, with the Golden License plate, which was attached to the victorious Thomas car driven by George Schuster, who drove the winning Thomas in the New York to Paris race.

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Mr. Robert L. Coleman, of the St. Francis Hotel, has purchased a 1909 Royal Touring King Buick Demi Limousine from the Consolidated Motor Car Company.

## REPRESENTATIVES FROM STUDEBAKER ARM FACTORIES IN SAN FRANCISCO

Thomas, Olds and Chalmers Experts Here

A significant illustration of the policy which has proven so successful to three most representative motor car manufacturers in the country, is the presence in this city of three automobile experts from the Thomas, Chalmers-Detroit and Oldsmobile factories respectively. The three experts are F. L. Dillmore of the Olds Motor works; Jean Bomb of the Chalmers Detroit motor company and Elmer Huber of the E. R. Thomas Motor company.

Although not a necessary one, the custom of having a traveling expert to go from agent to agent, visiting owners and assisting both agent and owner in the mechanism and operation of their cars, is one followed by the most successful and prominent motor manufacturers in the country. No better guarantee can be given a prospective customer than to have a factory expert call and test the owner's car frequently. This custom not only serves to keep the customer and the factory in close touch, but it does a great deal toward making friends for the machine.

Mr. C. N. Wolfe, to whom the Frank O. Renstrom Company recently delivered a Model K Pullman Touring car, bought the machine without either seeing it or having a demonstration. He owns a little Model E of Pullman, and is so well pleased with it that he looks forward to the day when the Model K will be as good, and such being the case, he would be more than pleased. Mr. Wolfe does a great deal of touring and is a good judge of machines.

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One of our new Model 17 six-cylinder cars is at hand for our inspection. Investigate and be your own judge as to the superiority of the Winton Six.

## STUDEBAKER ARMY DISPATCH COMING

Within a short time the famous Studebaker "Army" dispatch car, which made a phenomenal run last year from New York city, carrying a message from Major-General Fred Grant to Colonel L. H. Nichols, will be started on a run to the Pacific coast and back. On the way the car will pass through Denver, Salt Lake City, Phoenix, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland and Seattle. On leaving the latter city the car will make its return trip by way of the northwest.

Ever since the "Army" dispatch car made its initial run, the Studebaker people have kept it in commission for all kinds of hard work. It is the intention of the company to continue to use it in similar "stunts," until a total of 250,000 miles has been scored. This will be done for the purpose of the Studebaker claim that a car of good construction will stand a great deal more wear and tear than a car of any other type.

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Dr. W. C. Chidester of San Mateo, Cal., has ordered from the Consolidated Motor Car Co. a Franklin 1909 Model G Touring car.

J. H. King of this city has received the first 1909 Sunbeam to be delivered in Oakland. Several new cars are expected soon by the local agent, F. L. McMullon.

W. L. Loos & Co., local agents for Reo and Studebaker cars, state that they have received many inquiries this week as a result of the splendid showing both their cars made in last Sunday's run.

Towing Bros., real estate agents, who are opening up the Dowling Homestead tract on East Fourteenth street near Elmhurst, have bought a Reo touring car from the Jones Auto Company.

D. W. La Fortune, an Oakland business man, purchased a Mitchell roadster this week after seeing the way the two Mitchell cars made the 200-mile run last Sunday.

## '07 THOMAS SPECIAL

70 horse-power, 7-passenger, equipped with top, glass front, speedometer, Phlat-class condition. \$1600

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DIRECTORY FOR OWNERS AND BUYERS.

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COMET Hall Automobile Company—640 Van Ness Ave. and 651 Turk street.

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PULLMAN Frank O. Renstrom Co.—424-460 St. Mary St., S. F. Telephone Park 476.

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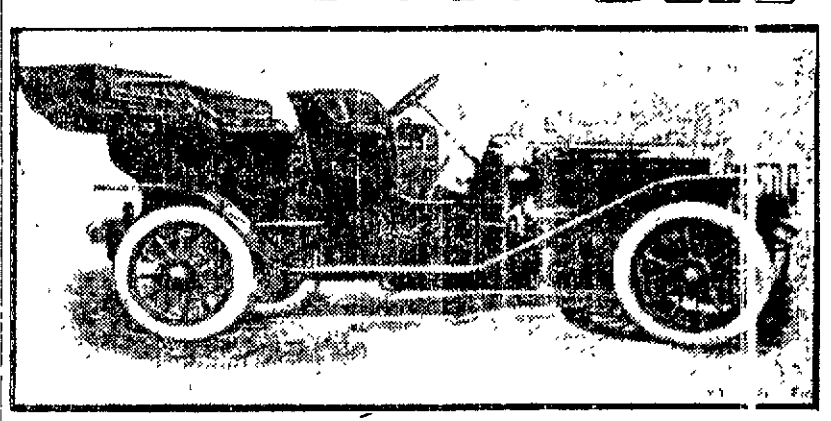
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# EUROPE'S NEWS VIA CABLES

*Doings in Court Circles  
and by the People of All  
Classes in Foreign Lands  
and Nations' Capitols*

**CONSUELO IS IDOL OF WOMEN  
NEARING DEATH DIES CRYING  
'MURDER'**

**APPROVED BY DIET**

TOKIO Feb 13—The representatives of the Diet passed today the budget recently drawn up by the Ministry. Some very slight amendments were made to the budget as originally prepared by the ministers. An unprecedented feature of



## Another Industry for Oakland.

During the past week a communication was received from President Wood, of the E. K. Wood Lumber Company, a large San Francisco lumber firm, by the Board of Public Works soliciting information regarding the procedure to be followed in applying for a building permit. The letter is published in full in the real estate page of THE TRIBUNE today. In it Mr. Wood states that the corporation has acquired a tract of water front land in the Twenty-third avenue industrial district which it is aiming to occupy at the earliest possible date. It is intended to begin the construction of a big planing mill which will cover on the ground floor an area 180 feet in length, by 80 feet in width, and attached to it will be erected a brick fire-proof boiler building and an engine house. Machinery for the structures are already on hand, and the company wants to begin work on or about March 1st. It is the purpose of the company to locate a lumber yard on its premises and erect a wharf on the water front as soon as the dredging that is now in progress is completed to enable vessels to get alongside to moor and discharge cargo.

The lumber firms in San Francisco have been doing business under great disadvantage since the disaster of April, 1906. The movement in favor of the opening of Islais creek and India basin to general commerce which is now in a fair way of success is increasing the difficulties and disadvantages of the lumber and planing mill men on that side of the bay. They are looking to the shores of Oakland harbor for suitable locations for the carrying on of their business under the most advantageous terms. Some of them have already located here. The E. K. Wood Lumber Company is the latest acquisition.

The managers of these lumber manufacturing concerns and other industrials have become interested in Oakland more particularly at the present by the activities of the present administration to acquire exclusive control over the water front and the plans which are in course of development for its improvement, particularly along the south side. There is scarcely any doubt but what the E. K. Wood Lumber Company has been so influenced and that its desire to transfer its business as quickly as possible to this side of the bay is prompted by an eagerness to take time by the forelock. It is a significant outside recognition of the enormous value to commerce of the administration's water front policy.

## Fish Commission Under Fire.

The Fish and Game Commission is in trouble with the Legislature and may become a subject of legislative investigation and possible abolition. It has brought its trouble upon itself through its own conduct, without the effort of any external agency. Primarily, the precipitation of these troubles at the present time grow out of a failure on the part of the Commission to make a biennial report of its affairs and of the amount and disposition of its revenues. It is the only one of the State's commissions that has neglected this very essential duty.

Through the operation of the stringent game laws which the Fish and Game Commission has been instrumental in inducing the Legislature of late years to enact, its revenues during the past two years have exceeded \$100,000 per annum through gun licenses alone; but it has rendered no account to the State of what it has done with the money. This course has aroused resentment on the part of many of the legislators and Assemblyman Harry Polsley introduced a resolution on Friday charging dereliction of duty and asking for the abolition of the commission in the event that a special committee named by the Speaker should find on investigation that it has been guilty of gross abuses. Strong efforts were made by the friends of the sportsmen's clubs to squelch the resolution or prevent its reference to any other committee save the Game and Fish committee. The tabling of the resolution was prevented; but the Speaker over-ruled the proposition to refer it to any committee save the Game and Fish committee. The public will note with interest what the latter does with it.

The Game and Fish Commission was originally organized for a good purpose, namely, to protect the interests of the general public in the wild game and food fishes of the State—to enforce the laws enacted for the maintenance of the stock of both for the best interests of the people of the State at large. While it adhered to the purposes of its creation, it was a useful organization. But it fell into evil ways early, and for many years past it has been a political machine engaged in the work of securing the enactment and in the enforcement of deceptive protective game laws in the interest and for the benefit solely of a class represented in the sportsmen's clubs and against the interests of the great mass of the people in whom the ownership of the wild game and the food fishes of the State is vested. Every legislature has been induced by the commission to make the monopoly of wild game and the fish in the streams, lakes and tidal waters of the State more secure to this special class and more difficult to obtain by the people at large. Today the latter are practically shut out of any interest in either wild game or fish, and a measure has been contemplated to vest the enjoyment of these public resources more exclusively than ever in a class coterie not exceeding one-twentieth the population of the State. The Commission has fallen from its high estate as a defensive arm of public interests and degenerated into an organization which is openly opposed to public rights in wild game and the food fishes of the State, the stock of which the State and Federal governments are at large expense maintaining. Moreover, it is employing the big resources over which it has obtained command, and the manner of the disbursement of which it has deliberately neglected to report to the Legislature, to keep the public more securely separated from its legitimate ownership and rights and to tighten the cinch of an exclusive class on the wild game and fish of the State. It is high time an honest and impartial investigation should be made and a halt called. The people's rights should be restored in both fish and game. Assemblyman Polsley's resolution should be passed.

Wonder whether the vigorous opposition of the Federal administration to any anti-Japanese legislation by the California and Nevada legislatures was part of a deep-laid scheme to break down the Chinese exclusion act? The Montana Legislature's suspicious seem to have been aroused in that direction, hence its strong protest against the repeal of the exclusion act and its demand for the inclusion of all Orientals in it. If Roosevelt lent himself to such a scheme it must have been unconsciously in his eagerness to uphold the treaty with Japan and avoid giving offense to its government. The Chinese protest against one kind of policy being enforced against them and another being favored for the Japanese seems to indicate that our impulsive President unwittingly stepped into a trap artfully set by the cunning Orientals.

## CAN IT BE A WALL STREET PLOT?



"MR. J. P. MORGAN HAS PRECEDED MR. ROOSEVELT TO AFRICA. HE HAS SAILED FOR EGYPT."—NEWS ITEM. —CHICAGO DAILY NEWS.

## State University's Agricultural Department.

The attack which Assemblyman Cogwell, chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, has made on the agricultural department of the University of California and his opposition to giving it the proper support for holding farmers' institutes throughout the State, will strike most people familiar with the history of that branch of the State's chief educational institution as peculiar and unwarranted. Under its first administration the department was more of a political than a practical machine. But when Professor Hilgard, now agricultural professor emeritus, was put in charge of it, an instantaneous change took place and the people of the State soon forgot the disparaging nickname of "the cow college" which it had previously acquired. Hilgard joined the University faculty with the reputation of being one of the best if not the most competent and learned agricultural professor in the country. His intelligent management of the department raised it to the highest plane, and its great usefulness to the State at large has been abundantly demonstrated. Hilgard made the department an invaluable aid to vineyardists and wine growers. His study and analyses of California soils made it equally invaluable as a guide to other branches of agriculture. As an expert on soils he became long before his retirement the leading authority in the United States.

For years before Hilgard's retirement from active charge of the department Professor Wickson, the present dean of the University faculty, was his assistant. Wickson graduated with honors from an Eastern agricultural college, and his whole life since he has been a resident of California has been devoted to its agricultural interests. Since he has been in charge of the agricultural department of the University he has followed the policy introduced and carried out by Hilgard, and he has moved on advanced lines and introduced many improved ideas into the curriculum of the department of incalculable value to the students and to the agricultural interests of the State. Whatever motive may be impelling students to enter the agricultural department, its direct effect is to promote intelligent and systematic farming in all its branches, and such are the results which are being derived from it. It is a foolish policy to cripple its usefulness. The more reasonable course is to broaden it.

If it is true, as reported by telegraph, that the State of Illinois is being made the dumping grounds annually from neighboring States for ten thousand head of cattle afflicted with tuberculosis, which the Illinois Board of Livestock Commissioners announces to be the fact, it puts a blight on the dairy products of that State and on the output of the Chicago slaughter-houses.

It is profoundly hoped that the United States Weather Bureau's prediction that the long series of storms which we have experienced are coming to a close and that we may look forward to a spell of clear weather for a time at least.

## NOTE AND EXCERPT.

There is where the Kaiser starts the second half of his century run. Herman Blum certainly is one of the most unchanged men now in captivity.

Wouldn't it be a joke on Congress if Taft should prove worse than Roosevelt in calling crooks to time?

Even Ethel Root when called upon suddenly will rise and far from her thought tank a few platitudes.

Burehona had to wait to hear from the outside world to know how badly it was hurt, and then it didn't believe it.

Daily health hint: Do not attempt to dispute the right of way with a determined woman armed with a hat pin.

When Mr. Harriman becomes a director of a railroad he is not pointed to as an example of a director who doesn't direct.

Mine workers have decided not to form a new political party. Perhaps they think we have horrible examples enough in this country.

Because Papa Gomez made an important appointment without consulting him, the Vice-President of Cuba threatens to resign. It will go hard with him when he discovers that and one army engineer officer, de-

Vice-Presidents are meant merely to look at and that they should be over-looked if they are allowed to carry a wooden spear.

Now that Cuba has its liberty the fighting cock knows one small republic whose heart beats in sympathy with its desire to live a gay life.

Some Congressmen do not think it very nice of C. P. Taft not to be crooked when they so badly need someone high up to pound As to the Presidential chair.

If, for other weeks will all it has long enough will be there.

For him to get, you bet, one Willett There is a move in Russia to split up Poland again, making four instead of three sections. The cut-ups certainly have been busy with that unhappy land.

While February is a short month, never doubt that the President will take occasion to make some more history, so as to fill the measure before he steps out.

The District of Columbia comprises an area of 69,245 square miles. The government consists of two civil commissioners appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate, and one army engineer officer, de-

## Pointed Paragraphs

Time flies and fly time will soon be on dock again.

Even opportunity has to await its chance to get even.

And most of us are born foolish and never outgrow it.

A woman who is ambitious to lead usually takes some man in tow.

Often a pickpocket puts his foot in it while trying to get his hand in.

The pessimist anticipates the worst, but the optimist makes the best of it.

Even if a man is color blind it is difficult to fool him on the long green.

One doesn't acquire a taste for music by listening to the piano next door.

It's the henpecked man who crows loudest when he gets away from home.

There is such a thing as being too honest. Some young men never even try to steal a kiss.

Some people use their religion only on Sunday and keep it in cold storage the rest of the week.

It makes a real sore when his wife asks him to explain something to her that he doesn't know anything about.

After a man has served as township clerk for about six weeks he imagines he is qualified to take over the record-keeping angel's job.

## REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

The great matrimonial problem—How to Get a Husband!

No matter how dead in love a man may appear to be marriage will always revive him.

Wonder whether it was love or wine that caused him to discover that the world went round.

An affinity is merely a near-wife, but then most men are perfectly satisfied with "something just as good."

Real love is the kind that is built on mutual admiration and trust and sympathy—and only comes in novels.

Most married men appear to think that "it is better to give than to receive"—when it comes to advice and criticism and orders and little things like that.

It is the husband who cannot raise the money to buy the most expensive objections round the house, in order to keep up the illusion that he is really important.

Divorce is the surgical operation for social appendicitis. It is just as foolish as trying to cure a stomach ache by who gives you a pain as to eling to a painful appendix.

## IF

If discord strife and cruel war, Those things which all good men abhor, Were banished from the earth star,

How thankful we should be! TIMOTHY HAY

itled by the Secretary of War, the three constituting the board of commissioners for three years.

Love! We do not know how cheap the seeds of happiness are, or we should scatter them often.

Broughton Brandenburg has been working at the literary trade too long for anyone seriously to question his literary plans.

Can you understand why the infuriated mob didn't hang him when the Oklahoma statesman advocated burning their sacred constitution?

America is threatened with another pest. The French brown-tail moth is abroad. It is not quite in the midst of us, but it came over in nursery packages from France and is only awaiting the gloomy days of spring to break forth and expand and begin pesting.

Just as though he were at the old stand, he will compete as a foreign pauper pest with our own infant industries in the pest line. If you do not know what the French brown-tail moth does to the human race you will learn if he decides to sojourn among us and to increase and multiply. Archery is his hobby. Unlike the bee and the mosquito, which have but one sting, the little French brown-tail carries a quiver full of arrows, which he shoots in passing over a small boy's hair.

There is no chance to slap him on the wrist in return, for he stings without alighting and then moves on to the next victim. No wonder the scientists who saw him first are very anxious to find a way to put him gently, to the bad.

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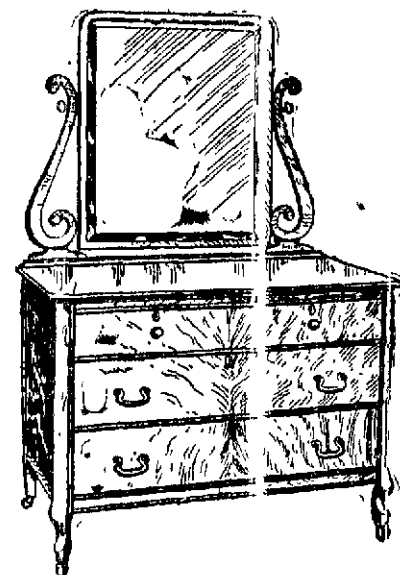
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All but a tidal wave was the result of the heavy rainfall on the night of the Eleventh, and morning of the Twelfth, at this store. The large gravel roof, which has an area of 15,000 square feet, sprung a leak and torrents of water spread on the fourth floor and then ran through on every other floor, and into the basement, thoroughly drenching each floor as it poured and dripped, damaging thousands of dollars worth of high-grade house furnishings. The goods in the basement were reserve goods, all crated and burlaped, and are being set up as rapidly as our force of workmen can set them up. Goods from every line, including Furniture of all kinds, Pianos, Carpets and Rugs, Draperies, Bedding, Ranges and Stoves, are being found in a damaged condition, and will all be sold out at once at great discounts, as it is the policy of the Braley-Grote Furniture Company to keep nothing in stock but perfect goods. It is our loss, but your gain if you will help us clean out this water-damaged stock. Be one of the first as the Best Bargains go first.

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### IS KNOX MUDDLE "ONLY A JOKE?"

Chicago Man Unearths a Little  
Bit of Significant Cor-  
respondence

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—It was a Chicagoan who put over a quiet little joke the other day on Philander C. Knox, William H. Taft, and several other persons supposed to know a good deal about constitutional law.

At least this is the assertion of Dr. Eugene Murray-Aaron, president of the American Geographical Institute.

Dr. Murray-Aaron has been smiling quietly over the hubbub in the House and the Senate and the lobbies at Washington about Senator Knox's eligibility to the office of Secretary of State, but said not a word and went right on with his editorial work.

#### Unearths Ominous Letter

Then he heard that someone in a Buffalo newspaper office had been given credit for starting the thing. This troubled him, and he began looking through his correspondence files. The result was a carbon copy of a letter written January 25 last, reading as follows: "Dear Senator Knox. Allow me to call your attention to the second paragraph of section VI, first article of the United States constitution. Is not this a bar to the position now offered you by Judge Taft? Is not an enabling act called for, first?—(Signed) Eugene Murray-Aaron."

### ALASKAN INSANE NOW A PROBLEM

Cold and Isolation Causes  
Rapid Increase in Number  
of Afflictions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The problem of dealing with the rapidly increasing Alaskan insane has again been presented to Congress. Secretary Garfield of the Department of the Interior has requested an additional appropriation of \$75,000 to be made immediately, because practically all of the money provided for contract obligations has already been expended.

The Alaska insane under contracts are now being cared for by a sanatorium at Portland, Ore., at a cost to the Government of \$348 a year per capita. Secretary Garfield has reported to Congress that the number of insane from Alaska is increasing constantly, and the reason advanced is the extreme cold and the isolation from civilization of many of the inhabitants of that territory. There is no place in Alaska where the insane can be cared for.

### NEGRO THUG WAYLAYS AND ROBS PEDESTRIAN

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 13.—Stanley C. Taft, 28 years of age son of Rev. George W. Taft and said to be a native of the President-elect's family, was seriously injured today as a result of being waylaid by a negro thug late last night at Wilkinsburg, a suburb. The young man was found unconscious lying near the railroad tracks.

### PRAY FOR SUN FOR CITRUS FAIR

Plan to Make This Year's Ex-  
hibition Best of Any in  
Long Series

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 13.—The seventeenth annual citrus fair, under the auspices of the Cloverdale Citrus Fair Association will be the crowning success of the Orange City. A number of notable exhibits are being arranged in the big pavilion and the people of Cloverdale and other county exhibitors are working like beavers and at the same time are praying that sunshine will beam on the opening Thursday.

Henry J. Crocker of San Francisco, who has a fine country home near will be one of the exhibitors show a Hawaiian canoe and and lemons. The girls of the Guild of St. Cloverdale are to show the San Francisco Solano at San design in golden fruit. For Mission it might will be can-er realistic touches. A map of California, out-fruit will be the exhibit of the Cloverdale high school. Over the will hang. Outlined above the scales will be an in-terrogated a point and the in Justice Rule in California? Miss Charles B. Humbert Venetian gondola, resplend- in golden oranges. The women of the Cloverdale church will have a Mrs. George B. Paer will have the old emons. The Santa Rosa Chamber Commerce and the Boards of Trade of Healdsburg and Cloverdale will make fine displays.

### NEGRO FIEND LYNCHED FOR HEINOUS CRIME

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 13.—Jake Wades, the negro who was arrested yesterday in Gainesville, Fla., accused of being the assassin of Miss Irma Newell at Oakland, Fla., last Tuesday, was today lynched, immediately following his identification by the young woman. He was hanged to a tree and his body was riddled with bullets.

### C. P. WILL DISPATCH TRAINS BY TELEPHONE

WINNIPEG, Feb. 13.—The Canadian Pacific Railroad has decided to dispatch all trains between Winnipeg and Brandon, 133 miles, and between Swift Current and Medicine Hat, 150 miles, by telephone, over heavy copper metallic circuit.



## WESTERN ROADS FALL INTO LINE

Ten-Day Stop-Over Privilege  
May Soon Include Pacific  
Points

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Recommendation for the granting of a ten-day stop-over privilege in Chicago on all forms of first-class and round-trip tickets has been made to the railroad forming the Western Passenger Association by the executive committee. Although it is believed that the recommendation will be negative by the roads, it is said to be certain that an individual notice of the acceptance of the plan will be served by one of the roads, with the result that all will follow and the stop-over privilege finally made effective. This ten-day privilege will only apply on tickets within limit.

On continuous passage transportation, for instance, from Boston to San Francisco, this privilege will not apply. The holder of such tickets will only, as now, be allowed the customary time for transfer and interchange in Chicago, Pittsburg, Cleveland, and Toledo recently obtained this privilege.

Now that stop-over privilege bids fair to become effective in Western Passenger Association territory, it is thought certain by railroad officials that Omaha and other Western points will plead for the same consideration and obtain it.

## Talks on Teeth

BY  
REX DENTAL CO.  
INC.

### Helpless Dentists Extract Loose Teeth

The first noteworthy achievement in dentistry was the discovery of rubber plates and was quickly followed by the equally not-worthwhile discovery of bridge work. The latter is the most commonly used now and through it the gold so universally used in dentistry became a fad. About ten years ago it became a positive rage in America and it seemed that every other person one met had gold placed somewhere on their teeth.

Bridge work was well enough in its way, but we believed that it was not the best that was possible. The principle of the thing is that if you have one or two or three teeth in a row that are loose or falling out, or so decayed that the old style dentist would prefer to pull them out, these teeth would be extracted and artificial ones put in their place. These artificial teeth would not be set perfectly into the gums or into the alveoli, but would be fastened by a gold bridge on both sides of a good tooth. In this way the loose teeth would be capped with a gold crown, and gold would also be run on the back of the teeth, and in this way the bridge formed, with one good tooth on either side supporting the artificial teeth in between. For instance, in the upper jaw, the bridge would be made of two teeth, which would be the work of the entire bridge, which certainly is not practical. That is bridge work, briefly told.

The first objection to bridge work is that it is not permanent. It may last three or four years, but it may not last that many months. There is no certainty whatever about it. The other objection is that the process is painful. The work may seem to have been done over again. It is very conspicuous and we do not all like to have the world know our private affairs. It is unbecomingly food gets under the bridge and in the course of time fermentation sets in. This produces an inflammation and makes it necessary to remove the work. There are still other objections, but these should be enough to give any person a clue as to whether there is a better way than that better way would certainly be adopted.

Now, with regard to loose and falling teeth. The average dentist makes no effort to pull them out. He does not know what to do. Such a thing as a tooth falling out does not have been heard of in his being done. With us it was different. For that very reason we thought of it being done, and eventually succeeded in doing it.

With the use of the gums the average dentist—and we include the profession as a whole in the term average—will move a tooth in the case of a discharge of pus from the gums, technically known as pyorrhea alveolaris, they will utterly fail. The reason it cannot be cured. We say it can, because we are doing it successfully right along.

It is not a question of a plate of false teeth the dentist is over ready. This is something he likes to do. He takes mechanical satisfaction in making a good set of teeth. Does he ever stop to think of the misery he causes that person who has to wear his infernal plate? And as a rule it is the cause of making the set the dentist often receives as many as a dozen teeth, which he does not want to put in. But they do not know how to do it, there is the trouble.

By our alveolar method we do away with bridge work entirely. We tighten loose teeth or put in new ones (without a plate) as good as your natural teeth were.

We positively cure pyorrhea, and all diseases of the gums, and if you have two or more teeth in either jaw we will put you a full set of new number of teeth without a plate and guarantee the work.

We will find that we are reasonable in all our charges.

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## REPORT MAKES KNOX ELIGIBLE

Bill Reducing Salary of Secretary of State Will Pass House

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—By a vote of five to three the House committee on the election of Vice-President and President and representatives in Congress agreed to report favorably the bill to reduce the salary of the Secretary of State, thus making Senator Knox eligible for that position. The committee did not until the committee had voted down a motion to ask the House to refer the legal question involved to the committee on judiciary.

**Spurious Committee Meeting**  
The meeting of the committee was a spurious one. There were present four Republicans and four Democrats out of the thirteen members. The support given the Republican members by Representative Lister of Virginia, made the favorable action by the committee certain. The submission of the majority report to the House will establish the regularity of calling up the bill for passage on Monday under suspension of the rules. The three Democrats who opposed the bill in committee will present the minority report.

**Cannon to the Rescue**  
Speaker Cannon, despite the vigorous contention of Henry of Texas and several followers on the Democratic side who sought to have the Senate bill reducing the salary of the Secretary of State to its former figure referred to the judiciary committee, ruled that the bill properly belonged to the committee on election of President and Vice-President.

## CHIEF CASTERA DECLARES WAR

Head of Melrose Fire Department Renews Old Fight With Commissioners

Chief L. Castera of the Melrose Fire Department yesterday declared war on the commissioners of the city. The commissioners have 600 feet of hose which they are keeping unsheltered from the rain, and which they refuse to take proper care of. He says that the hose is fast becoming unfit for use. The fire commissioners are of the opinion that it is the chief's place to look after the hose, but the latter claims he will not do so until differences between the firemen and the commissioners are adjusted. The commissioners have requested that each member of the department send in application for appointment by the commissioners. This the firemen have refused to do, claiming that as they have already submitted their applications as a whole, such a course is not a legal necessity. Now the commissioners refuse to recognize the firemen unless they comply with their request. Matters have come to the point where the firemen have renewed the feeling between the firemen and the commissioners.

Chief Castera, who is indignant about the matter, said yesterday: "Unless the commissioners take some action for the proper care of this hose, which is lying rotting in the rain with the nozzles attached, I will prefer charges against them. The city has reduced to recognize the company. It strikes me that the commissioners are the responsible persons. They have been notified of the condition of the hose, but have taken no steps to remedy the matter. The city has a claim that I am responsible for the hose, but I will take no action in the matter until the Melrose Fire Department is recognized."

## NEW CANNERY FOR EMERYVILLE

Site Near Santa Fe—Teamster Has Leg Crushed in Distressing Accident

EMERYVILLE, Feb. 13.—The Griffin & Seelye Cannery Company has completed negotiations to occupy an immense tract of land along the Santa Fe tracks near San Pablo avenue. The firm intends to erect a large cannery about two hundred feet square on the site immediately.

**Teamster Injured**  
While attempting to mount a moving derrick this afternoon the Berkeley Coal Company and who resides at 213 Addison street, fell to the ground and was severely injured. Mossey was walking along San Pablo avenue at Stanford when a friend passed in a heavy wagon, and attempting to mount it fell beneath the wheels. Before the team could be stopped the front wheel passed over his right leg, crushing it at the knee.

He was taken to the office of Dr. Spencer, who dressed his wounds.

**Case Postponed**  
The case against Charles Film and Silvio, two Italian men, came up before Judge Coburn in the local police court today, but was continued until next Saturday.

The second charge of this nature against the men and they were released on \$50 bail each last Thursday. They have retained Attorney Phil Walsu as their counsel.

**Back From Honeymoon**  
An event in the social whirl of Emeryville is the return of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. O'Connell from their honeymoon tour of the western part of the state. Mrs. O'Connell is a graduate of the Polytechnic high school and figures very prominently in the West End society.

They intend to give a large house warming reception to their many friends in the near future.

**FLUSHING MACHINES  
FOR CHICAGO STREETS**

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Forty flushing machines will be put into operation in the downtown streets in Chicago in the spring. They are being manufactured in St. Louis at a cost of \$700 each. With these the streets will be flushed thoroughly at least twice a week.

## Kahns'

## The Always Busy Store

## Kahns'

# The Charming New Spring Styles in Women's Tailored Suits Are Ready



COME in and greet these newest arrivals. It will seem to draw spring nearer—and help you forget the dreary, dismal rainy days that have clung on so unreasonably since the first of the year. "What's the fashion—long or short coats?" Both. 33-inch is perhaps the shortest. Many of the longer coats are studies of slopes and curves—long in the back, but sloped high in front. Odd, but full of grace. The new fabrics are very attractive. Among them are serges, worsteds, beack cloths, wide-wale diagonals, novelty solids, and—queen of them all—satin prunella. Colors are subdued and beautiful—amethyst, mode, pistache, wistaria and the new ashes-of-roses.

Prices Start at \$16.50 for Splendid Business Suits that Are Really Worth from \$25.00 to \$30.00 and End at \$50.00 for Suits Superbly Tailored from High-Class Fabrics

\$1.50 White Lawn Waists 95c

\$5.95 for Anna Held Petticoats

Made in various pretty ways, with fancy embroidered fronts. It's a splendid opportunity. Just think—a saving of 55c on a brand new spring waist.

Adjustable—form fitting. Made of guaranteed all silk taffeta. Black and all wanted colors. The best petticoat values offered in years.

## Some Fine Values in Percales and Gingham

We want you to come and see the lovely new cotton stuffs now on display and sale here. To make our invitation as tempting as possible we offer these two exceptional values. It isn't a bit too early to prepare for the soft, balmy days of summer. Let yours be the joy of a summer wardrobe planned for now at your leisure and finished for once on time.

French Percales—the kind that hold their bright, beautiful colors until the last thread wears out—36 inches wide—great variety of designs—per yard 12½c

New Gingham—handsome new patterns and colorings—almost as bright and beautiful as the high-cost Scotch goods—on sale in our Special Sale Section at 12½c

## LAUNDRY BAGS

Large size. Made of good quality cretonne. Scores of pretty floral, fancy and conventional designs in such colors as red, blue, green and yellow. Bags that usually sell at 50c. On sale in our busy Art Section tomorrow at about half price. 29c

Stamped Aprons and floss to embroider same—stamped on fine, sheer lawn—special price, each 25c

Free Lessons in embroidery every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—from 10 to 12—to all who buy the materials from us.

## A Sale of Fancy White Goods

Our White Goods Department offers the following extra special inducement for your patronage tomorrow: White Mercerized Madras Cloth and other fabrics—for waists and dresses—twenty or more pretty designs in stripes, dots and figures—goods that sell regularly at 25c and 35c the yard—our special price for this sale, per yard 19c

## LEATHER GOODS ½ Marked Prices

This sale includes our entire stock of hand bags and purses. It's a great bargain opportunity. Just think! All \$1.00 goods for 50c; all \$2.00 goods for \$1.00; all \$3.00 goods for \$2.50; all \$10.00 goods for \$5.00, and so on.

## Housekeeping Goods

A few snappy specials from our Linen and Housekeeping Department—a department that is famous for its broad stocks and unapproachable values:

Extra Large Sheets—for double beds—excellent quality—each 69c—a bargain worth following up.

TURKISH TOWELS—heavy ribbed—a 40c quality—special price 28c

HUCK AND DAMASK TOWELS—odd lots of 25c and 20c goods—choice 14c

10c GLASS TOWELING 7½c

10c ROLLER TOWELING 7½c

FULL SIZE PILLOW CASES 19c

70-INCH BLEACHED DAMASK 79c

\$2.25 LINEN TABLE CLOTHS \$1.48

HEMSTITCHED COTTON HUCK TOWELS 15c

## Blankets, Bed Spreads, Pillows, Six Special Values of Unusual Interest

Heavy Gray Blankets—wool finish 11-4 size—worth \$1.75—now \$1.29

White Honeycomb Bed Spreads—3-4 size—worth \$1.00 each—Special 69c

White Wool Blankets—fine and soft—regular price \$6.50—now \$5.00

White Honeycomb Bed Spreads—full size—worth \$1.25—Special 89c

Fancy Plaid Blankets—large size—new goods—worth \$5.50—now \$4.25

Pillows—Size 22x28 inches—covered with art ticking—worth \$1.25—now 98c

## Sale of Children's Drawers

A splendid bargain. Made of good cambric—finished with a two-and-a-half-inch ruffle and trimmed with three tucks, edged with embroidery—sizes 2 to 16 years. Special price, per pair 25c

## Glove Sale

16-Button Lisle Thread Gloves—all wanted colors and sizes—a dollar 79c quality for

## Kahn Bros THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STS., OAKLAND

## Fancy Ribbon

All-Silk—3½ and 4 inches wide—desirable colors and patterns—worth 25c yd—tomorrow 19c

## STORM CONDITION AT MARYSVILLE

Yuba and Feather Rivers Rising But Ten Feet Below High Water Mark

MARYSVILLE, Cal., Feb. 13.—Storm conditions are improved to say the least, but it was not heavy. The Yuba and Feather rivers rose four feet, but are ten feet below the danger mark. The snow is holding in the mountains. The northern electric road between Marysville and Sacramento is under water in places and several fish have again been washed out. Travel in the Southern Pacific is not affected. The sun is shining now.

## AMERICAN WARSHIP MAY BE SENT TO LIBERIA

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The State Department is considering the question of dispatching an American war vessel to Liberia. Where alarm is felt for the safety of British and French subjects employed in the customs service of the republic. The political situation, according to official advice, may result in the passage of its 40,000 miles of territory into alien hands.

## KING AND QUEEN ARE SAFELY BACK IN LONDON

LONDON, Feb. 13.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived in London this afternoon from Berlin. They were cheered by a large crowd as they emerged from the railroad station.

## NEW SYSTEM OF CHILD TRAINING

Miss Brownlee Resorts to Thought and Reason to Discipline Scholars

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—Declaring her firm belief in the efficacy of thought and reason to discipline arbitrary discipline in the case of children in the grammar school, Miss Jane Brownlee, a well-known eastern educator and the inventor of the Brownlee system of child training, delivered an address before a large audience of educators at the Washington school yesterday afternoon.

Miss Brownlee was brought to the Pacific Coast by the Board of Education of San Francisco to make suggestions as to changes in the system of discipline in the San Francisco schools. She advocates a system of teaching the child to control by thought and reason actions that are usually controlled by the arbitrary will of the parent and teacher. She believes that no discipline should be used in dealing with children, as, according to her experience, it is impossible to successfully discipline a child for long, and once confidence is gone, there is no possibility of further training.

## MAINE GETS MESSAGES FROM ATLANTIC FLEET

PORTLAND, Maine, Feb. 13.—The wireless station at 123 North received a signal from the Atlantic fleet twice today. Both signals were from different ships. The operator stated that messages were caught yesterday from the Yankton, Rhode Island and the New York.

## REMOVAL OF IMPORTANT REAL ESTATE FIRM.

The Randall, Trowbridge & Wright Company, for nearly two years located at 101½ Broadway, have moved their headquarters to the Athens Hotel building, 1308 Broadway, in the space formerly occupied by the Athens Hotel office.

As heretofore, they will handle city and subdivision properties, and in addition will institute the following departments: Country, rent, insurance, loan, security investment and bonds. In the matter of real property they have been unusually successful, disposing of the major portion of the city of Elmhurst Tract, bordering on Jones Avenue and adjoining the S. J. depot at Elmhurst. While a high character of improvements were put in, their untiring efforts in seeing that this was done satisfactorily and selecting persons for purchasers who would erect homes and make it their permanent residence, accounts for the unqualified success there. Since their very recent removal they have closed a deal amounting to \$65,000, of a piece of choice country property.

Mr. Randall, a few months ago, severed his connection with the company and Dr. A. O. Wright, well and favorably known in Oakland and Stockton, has filled the vacancy there created.

Messrs. Trowbridge and H. M. Wright, as well as Dr. Wright, are wide-awake, enterprising and popular business and real estate men, as well as promoters of large enterprises that assist in upbuilding a community, and by making their present move, do so to keep abreast with the large amount of business they expect to receive. In their new offices will be private compartments for the proper transaction of business of a confidential nature, also desks and office space for a corps of salesmen, making it one of the finest real estate offices in the city.

## MAGNIFICENT STORE OPENS

Shafran's Receives Praises of Many Friends.

The magnificent new store of A. Shafran, on Thirteenth street, was formally opened yesterday, and all day long a steady stream of a mingling people passed in and out. A very modern idea incorporated in this splendid suit and cloak house, Mr. Shafran has given to Oakland a city that is a credit to the city.

The interior, wood finishes, glazing and decorations, lend an air of perfect harmony. The lighting effects are all that could be desired, and the rich carpet and rug that cover the floor are the best that can be secured.

Mr. Shafran is no stranger to Oakland. On the contrary, he has hundreds of friends throughout Oakland and Alameda county who will show this side of New York the best makers of women's fashions. Many of the firm's old customers paid homage yesterday to the new and sparkling establishment, the profuse numbers of floral pictures and decorations, received breathed perfume of success, good feeling and good will.

## AN APPELLATE COURT FOR PATENT LITIGANTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—A bill to establish a United States Court of Appeals for patents was favorably reported from the House Judiciary committee today by Representative Joseph H. Ball of Massachusetts. The measure has been urged by the American Bar Association and by trade and manufacturing associations for ten years.

## LINCOLN DAY IGNORED BY ORGANIZED LABOR

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Organized labor in New York failed to observe Lincoln's birthday with any special celebration, although President Compton of the American Federation of Labor some time ago issued an address to the affiliated unions for this purpose.

## ALL FURS ½ Price

Drummers' Sample Fur Shop

735 Van Ness Avenue



## Tells Betty Martin Where Newspaper Critics Get Off---and He Smiled as He Talked

By BETTY MARTIN

ND he smiled all the time he said it."

Mr. Richard Hotelling has chosen to head this interview with the above quotation. From it each may draw his own conclusions, reading between the lines, or not, as he sees fit.

Perhaps unconsciously Mr. Charles Dickman gave material aid toward deciphering this enigmatical quotation when he made a certain luminous remark which may be of interest. It is given for its face value, and accompanied by a short description of the surroundings, which, usually, have greatly to do with a man's utterances.

Mr. Hotelling was already garbed for the part of Cassius—all but the finishing touches—and these were being rapidly added, on the one part by "Michele," the indispensable, busily engaged in pinning to place the graceful drape over Cassius' left shoulder. Which, ended, Mr. Charles Dickman then displayed his skill in make-up, after a critical survey, held at a distance of say four feet.

### Artist and Clubman

Mr. Dickman, it is almost superfluous to add is both an artist and a clubman, as well as a personal friend of Mr. Hotelling. He has gained fame in other directions, also, and it would require a whole chapter under the heading "Who Wants to Fight a Dutchman?" to recount his latest achievements.

He presented a striking contrast to Cassius, and, at first glance, I sensed a prize fighter rather than an artist. His razor had evidently been consigned to oblivion for a day or more, and the warpath of the dressing room had caused him to regard a coat as a superfluity.

He stood in the electric glare, a brush in his right hand, in the other a pot of paint. Like Mr. Hotelling, he, too, "smiled," though he said but little. For, after the critical survey was over he stepped briskly but silently across to Mr. Hotelling and began making vigorous applications of ruddy tint along two white arms. This ended, he dabbed a bit here and there on the face, and that done, added final shadows in black—all the while saying nothing. It was purely a case of sawing wood.

Mr. Hotelling, however, talked—not to the point—but that was possibly because "he

"All I ask is that the papers will not print anything about me personally which would tend to keep the public away from the playhouse. For I am here to make good as an actor—not on my reputation in any other direction."—Richard Hotelling.

"I believe if one thinks evil it will react on himself. I never think badly of anyone." Why keep our flow keep our flowers for the dead. Bestow them on the living."—Michele and Hotelling.

smiled" even while appointing an hour in which to discuss the "critics." It was too late to get at the subject matter then and there, so some practically non-essential chatter was indulged in.

"That gray hair is very becoming," said I, scarcely realizing that the fig-

"think badly of anyone." From this declaration Mr. Hotelling launched into philosophic discourse. Extending his right arm in dramatic gesture.

Why, questioned he, 'should we keep our flowers only for the dead? Why not bestow them occasionally upon the living? Why—but I interrupted, saying: "Mr. Dickman, it's

my belief that no man in make-up is ever himself."

And that is the remark which is presented for its face value. "Mr. Hotelling," vouchsafed the artist "is always in make-up."

At its utterance, he it recorded, both Mr. Hotelling and Mr. Dickman "smiled," and I departed to meet Mr. Hotelling the next morning at ten, on the stage.

There in the hall dusk, a trifle late as to the hour, the interview was continued.

Mr. Hotelling was inclined to be more reserved than on the preceding encounter, and expressed the opinion that we'd talked over about everything that might be of interest.

"But," reminded I, "this article is to be about Mr. Hotelling and the critics."

### Parries the Subject

"It is!" ejaculated he and when I nodded it was another case of smiling, ending in Mr. Hotelling's offering, in a particularly genial spirit.

"Then I guess you'll have to weave

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Nor was there any trace of bitterness in either words or manner. Outside the province of newspaper interview, I've never met him. Within that confine he has always appeared in the light of a man of good breeding, and this was apparent when, summing up some of his experiences, he said:

### Wants No Personalities

All I ask is that the papers will not print anything about me personally which would tend to keep the public away from the playhouse. For I am here to make good as an actor—not on my reputation in any other direction. And I will welcome any letters in criticism of my performance."

This led me to affirm: "Do you know that in way the fact that you're heralded as a man of wealth, a clubman, in fact, 'the millionaire clubman,' mitigates against you?"

"I know that," came the quick reply, and he instance a circumstance attendant on one of the Richelieu performances related by a friend occupying an adjacent seat.

There were a mother and daughter here one evening accompanied by a gentleman. And the conversation ran something like this:

"Daughter: 'This play is almost better'n 'The Wrong Mr. Wright.'"

"Young Man: 'So it is something to think about.'"

"Daughter: 'That's so. Ain't Isabelle Richelieu too sweet for anything?'"

"Mamma: 'Yes. And look at the

plumes on her hat. Must have cost a lot of money.'

### Money to Burn

"Um-um-um," the conversation twittered on until the mother volunteered: "They say that Hotelling's got money to burn." At which came this: "And he's a bachelor!" Whereupon the mother playfully ejaculated: "Of all mean, contemptible men, a bachelors the worst. You—to the young man with what was meant to be a fetching smile—aren't going to be a bachelor, are you?"

"At this the daughter turned red in the face, nudged her corpulent mamma in the side with a murmured: "You old fool I wish you'd stayed at home while the young man became absorbed in a study of the drop curtain."

This tale was recounted, well, just to show what kind of people help to swell an audience, and I then asked:

"Now, Mr. Hotelling, suppose you had come to this theater unknown, without social prestige, in fact, an utter stranger—do you think that anyone would have come to see your performances?"

"At first, no. But the regular patrons of the house would have attended because they liked the program and wanted to see the plays. They would have said to their friends: 'That was a good performance.'"

"Then the next night more people would come and so on—just as with other actors."

### Art Will Win

"Take Nazimova, for example, in New York. She does not speak English—was unknown. Before long, however, people went to see her because of her art. So it is with others. I think—yes. In the end we would have had good audiences, even though I had come here unknown."

Since Mr. Hotelling's debut he is daily in receipt of congratulatory letters, he says, praising the performances and expressing pleasure that such a high standard of excellence has been maintained.

The subject of a possible tryout on Broadway was not referred to again from the circumstance that a call to a letter perfect rehearsal of "The First Violin" was given, necessitating close of the interview.

BETTY MARTIN.



# WITH THE PLAYS AND PLAYERS



GIRDELLER'S DOGS AT THE BELL

## MACDONOUGH.

Seldom does a play present one fresh and striking type, but in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which is at the Macdonough Theatre, beginning Wednesday night, February 17th, are four that everyone who sees the play remembers with equal sharpness or pleasurable mental definition. Around them are gathered a score more characters and types, however, and each role is fastidiously cast. Incredible pains have been taken by Liebler & Co. to make the players fit their roles as though moulded to them, and the success attending the endeavor of this enterprising firm is sufficiently attested by the fact that the play is now in its fifth year of enormous business in America, passed its 300th performance at Torrey's theatre in London, and a special company has just finished presenting the play in Australia, duplicating its American and London success.

Book plays as a rule are not long lived, but "Mrs. Wiggs" has fair to run for generations. It is already an American humorous classic, and as the public waits long for a great woman humorist, so too, it will cling to such a striking conception as that of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" and the enticement of good humor and innocent jollity around her. The play is as clean and fresh and morally uplifting as possible.

After the average problem play it is as refreshing as a breath of morning after a night of champagne. Dear old kindly Mrs. Wiggs is the Arch-Deaconess of American fun. Moreover she has the approval of the Rev. Charles Wagner, who says that here is "The simple life lived humorously."

The engagement opens with a matinee today and extends through to Wednesday night.

## ORPHEUM

A wonderful European novelty has the place of honor at the head of the Orpheum bill this week. Under the title of "Selkoms Venus" the act has scored an immense hit in San Francisco where it first presented after being imported from Europe by the Orpheum.

Besides this series of living pictures, the new program at the Oakland Orpheum today will include a lot of sport comedy, an aggregation of pretty girls, a series of acrobatic stunts, a snappy sketch or two produced by well known travesty artists, a neat juggling act and some great acrobatic stunts by the Harvey Family.

"Selkoms Venus" which will be seen at the Oakland Orpheum next week is considered in Europe to be the most remarkable exhibition of living marble ever exhibited. The Venus is the chief of a series of groups producing the world's best statuary of which such masterpieces as "Samson Bound," "Reaching the Winning Post," and "The Fountain" form a continuous part.

"Johnnie McVeigh and His College Girls" an incident in a college military, will be the headline attraction at the Orpheum next week. In this bit D. A. Rube, the producer, has hit upon a novel way of bringing out the abilities of an exceptionally clever and versatile comedian and four particularly talented girls. With enough story to make a plot, an atmosphere of college life and the dash and vim imparted by four sprightly girl singers and dancers, he has created an attraction which delights both eye and ear. Special requests for effects have been prepared and no effort has been spared to insure success. Mr. McVeigh has been prominently associated with "The Top of the World," "Humpty Dumpty," "George M. Cohan's farce 'Runners for Office' and many other big musical comedy hits. His appearance in vaudeville has resulted in a great and distinct triumph.

Frank Byron and Louise Langdon will appear next week at the Oakland Orpheum in a new edition of their humorous absurdity. The Duke Detective and his song "Let Another Chance to Be a Hero" are among the most scintillating funny successes in vaudeville. Miss Langdon's dash and spirited dancing is also a novel contrast to the "Duke Detective's" lifeless sleuth.

"Shorty," a sketch presented by Dick Crollius and his company, has been described as "a lighthearted incident of the race track" and as "vaudeville's shining masterpiece." These two quotations sum up the merits and style of the little playlet, for the characters of which the author has entered the paddock.

Sketch, with a dash of pathos, and in the part of "Shorty" Mr. Crollius has contributed a sparkling character to vaudeville. The splendid comedian will be remembered by his performance of "Big Donovan" in Mr. Cortright's clever "Peaches," but in this vehicle "Shorty" will make new friends and please his old admirers.

The Harvey Family of acrobats including the two Harvey Sisters who are known in Europe as the greatest performers on the steel wire that have been developed during the last decade, will re-

main an important feature of the coming week's bill.

Paul La Croix, the comedy juggler, known as "the handy handler of many hats" is to be retained.

Leander De Cordova and his company will appear in the big dramatic novelty sketch "Wireless" in which a complete set of wireless telegraphic apparatus is shown in the stage in connection with the telling of a dramatic story in which two wireless operators play the principal parts.

## BELL

These are the days which try men's souls in the theatrical business, and to lure people away from their homes, attractions theatrically must be every above par. Manager Colin is now giving to the patrons of the Bell the best class of attractions that can be secured, so there will be no disappointment to the thousands of patrons of this popular theatre who weekly depend upon the Bell for their amusement diversions.

In "The Battle of Too-Soon," a military travesty in one act by "those polite comedians," as they term themselves, is one of the biggest hits that ever made the circuit. Written and staged by Edw. F. Gallagher with spectacular scenic effects by Valentine, the production at the Bell this week will unquestionably figure as the feature number of the new program.

A melange of birth, melody and songs constitutes the offering of Connolly, Wench, Connolly, novel and favorite writers and composers. Mr. Wench has lately been fortunate in producing one of the greatest song-hits ever published in America. These familiar with things musical will recognize him as the author and composer of "Rainbow" and "Naughty Eyes," both of which will be sung with a number of others, in this timely act.

On the programs at the Bell there generally is one act at least that appeals to the little folks. This week Mr. Earl Girdeller presents his troupe of trained dogs in an exhibition that will not only find favor in the eyes of the younger element, but from all who appreciate the animals in feats that seem almost without their range of possibility.

This week marks the return of Vaudeville's most popular vocalists, Kelly & Violet, to the Bell in an entirely new repertoire of song numbers and a stunning array of costumes. These fashion plates in vaudeville, as they are so well known, will make their farewell appearance at the Bell this week just prior to their departure on a tour of the world. Needless to say their engagement here will be the signal for the outpouring of their many O'kees and adios and huzzas.

William Ventriquoist, appearing in a unique act with a whole family of "rube" assistants that create fun a-plenty. Caron & Herbert are a pair of plump acrobats and gymnasts who present a sensational exhibition.

## YE LIBERTY

At Ye Liberty next week Richard M. Hotelling will essay the little role in a modern drama, taking the part made famous by Mansfield in "The First Violin."

It will be the only modern drama presented during the Hotelling engagement and the first time the play has been given in Oakland.

The play deals with German musical life, the central figure being Count Eugene, who, through chivalrously bearing blame in order to shield a woman from dishonor, has himself been dishonored and is leading an existence for a livelihood. The comedy element in the play does not interfere with the deep sentiment which pervades the theme of the work. Mr. Hotelling will play Count Eugene. He has made a deep study of the part, and his friends promise that he will be seen at his best in this play.

## NOVELTY

This popular place of amusement announces a new departure for the week, beginning today. Musical comedy seems to have taken such a hold on the pleasure-loving public that Manager Tabelski has made arrangements whereby the patrons of the Novelty will have the opportunity of seeing one of the largest and most successful musical organizations.

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JOHNNY McVEIGH AND HIS COLLEGE GIRLS AT THE OAKLAND ORPHEUM



JIM POST'S BUTY KORUS AT NOVELTY

## PROGRAMS OF THE WEEK

MACDONOUGH—Matinee today and tonight. Beginning Wednesday, February 17, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." This play is exceedingly well staged.

ORPHEUM—Advanced Vaudeville.

BELL—Refined Vaudeville.

YE LIBERTY—Richard M. Hotelling in "The First Violin."

NOVELTY—Vaudeville.

now appearing before the American public. Jim Post with his dazzling bevy of dancing girls, "The Wise Men," being an extended engagement in one of his greatest successes, "The Wise Men."

A dozen or more pretty and graceful dancing girls, in bewitching changes of costume, constitute the team's chorus, and with the principal characters, Mr. Post and associates constitute an organization second to none in theatrical circles.

Vaudeville's choicest offerings are represented in the numbers included in this bill. McKune & Grant, horizontal but experts direct from Europe offer an act replete in novel features. Kingsberry and Munson present an amusing dramatic sketch of unusual character, and Mildred and Alfred, one of the greatest

singing and dancing duos on the stage, are a strong feature. Miss Harriet Wilson, the gifted soloist, will also be heard in a series of beautiful descriptive melodies.

## AMERICAN

"That odd comedian," as he is called, Harry Beresford, whose past performance in "The Wrong Mr. Wright" and "The Woman Hater" have stamped him as a laugh-producer of the highest rank, will present, for the first time in San Francisco at the American Theater this

afternoon, "Who's Your Friend?" with the same cast and the same elaborate production which was seen during the long New York run.

Mr. Beresford's company is a strong one and includes the Misses Julia Perrot, Edith O'Wall, Grace Boche, Margaret Lee and Helen Barry and the Messrs. W. S. Lewis, James A. Althorn, Henry L. Jones, H. H. Seicht and Jesse McNeill.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" will follow "Who's Your Friend?" at the American.

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# Some Recent Big Sales of Oakland Realty Despite the Inclement Weather



A. C. BAUMGARTNER'S \$14,000 RESIDENCE NEARING COMPLETION ON LENNOX AVENUE, NEAR MONTECITO AVENUE.

## BERKELEY HURT BY THE RAINY WEATHER

Trading and Building Temporarily Suspended, But Sunshine Will Start Both Afresh

BERKELEY, Feb. 12.—The cry of the real estate men and the builders is for dry weather. For almost a week the customers have not been able to get outside work of construction. Carpenters and bricklayers are as grouchily as the contractors, and the realty agents say that the streets will not permit of showing people property, or rather, that prospective customers can scarcely be induced to venture on an inspection. The millionaires say that they will be a great deal of work as soon as the thermometer rises and the sun gets the habit of staying out half a day or more at a time.

### Inquiry For Home Sites

There has been plenty of casual inquiry for suburban home sites. The fact that the town will hereafter be on a prohibition basis has undoubtedly depreciated some prospective buyers' locations in the west end, but it is declared that this is merely temporary and that the values will now assume a steady basis and that the fluctuations due to the prospect of the open season being past, there will be an incentive to develop these same locations for other business purposes.

### New Charter and Realty Values

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### Class Cultivation

Residence, with all its construction of residences, and the more costly flat and bungalow, and the small water-earner has not been encountered to locate. The fact that the town will hereafter be on a prohibition basis has undoubtedly depreciated some prospective buyers' locations in the west end, but it is declared that this is merely temporary and that the values will now assume a steady basis and that the fluctuations due to the prospect of the open season being past, there will be an incentive to develop these same locations for other business purposes.

### West Berkeley Values

On an increase in the payroll of the various industries, the value of real estate is slowly and surely rising. In fact, the speculative spirit is absent entirely in the district, and the gain in price in any particular block has been permanent.

### Business Blocks Projected

There are prospects of the erection of several business blocks along University avenue in the vicinity of the new limits. On the southeast corner of Grove street C. B. Hayward is preparing to erect a three-story apartment house. Further east, near Milvia, plans are being drawn for a three-story business block. On Center street the Shattuck estate is contemplating extensive improvements of the same grade, on a stretch of property between the First National Bank building and the Richardson building. This may be some blocks of like nature erected on Allston way.

### Building Permits

Building permits issued during the week include the following:  
W. L. Wood, Plaza Drive and Encina Place, 9 rooms, \$600.  
C. J. Taylor, 2018 San Pablo, repairs, \$500.  
Continental Building and Loan Association, 2446 Ninth street, two rooms, \$125.  
G. P. Kelsey, Addison and Milvia, 5 rooms, \$850.  
Tennant, Sixth and Ifoyoko, store, \$700.  
Miss Frank Carlson Milvia and Rose, 5 rooms, \$1000.  
G. W. Hain, Josephine and Cedar, 5 rooms, \$1000.  
Lola N. Hall College avenue and Derby, 5 rooms, \$1800.  
R. L. Jumbrow, Lower Uplands and Plaza Drive, 7 rooms, \$3000.  
S. Bolton, Delaware and Shattuck, 3 rooms, \$2800.  
C. C. Jester, Woolsey and Clarendon, 5 rooms, \$4000.

## OAKLAND GROWS TOO FAST

BUSINESS MAN GETS LOST IN SUBURBS.

If Mr. Pack, the local real estate promoter, had secured one of those late maps of Alameda county, which were compiled by the County Surveyor under the direction of the Supervisors, he could not have had such a sorry tale of woe to tell his wife. Only a modest map or sketch had been put out by the County Surveyor, and the map was so small that it was impossible to find the location of Oakland. THE TRIBUNE has a few of these finished 10-foot wall maps, and they are correct, convenient and cheap. Ask the cashier.



Residence of Albert Kayser on the Northwest Corner of Grand Avenue and Lee Street.

## MARKET STREET PROPERTY SALE

Retail Business Block at the Corner of Fourteenth Street Sold for \$40,000.

Through the Realty Bond and Finance Company the Tyler Henshaw two-story business block at the northeast corner of Market and Fourteenth streets was sold during the past week to A. Silverstein. The block is located in a retail business quarter which is steadily growing in importance. The land embraces a frontage of 109 feet on Market street and 80 feet on Fourteenth street. The building covering it is a two-story frame structure. It consists of eight stores and six flats that bring in a monthly rental of \$365. Mr. Silverstein paid \$40,000 for this property and by so doing shows his confidence in the future of Fourteenth street as a business street.

## WESTERN PACIFIC CLEARS ITS LAND

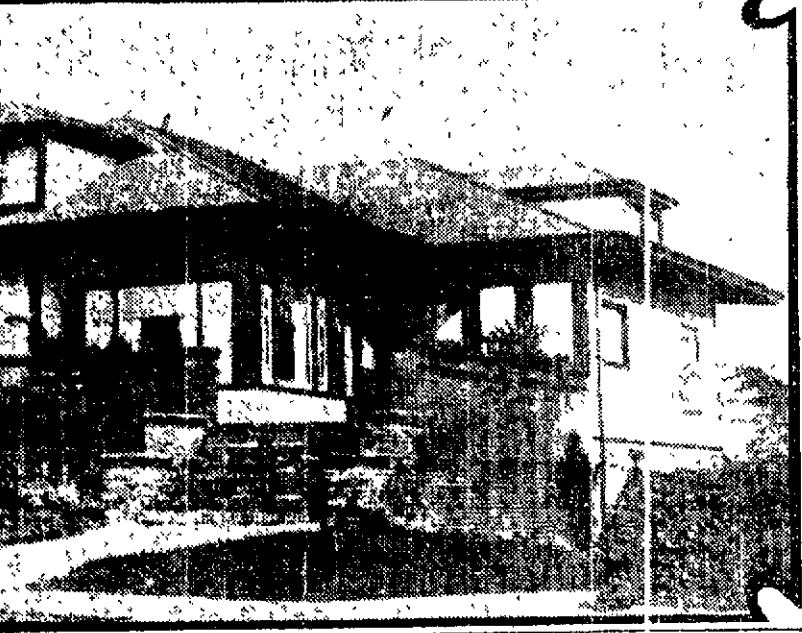
Old Landmarks Have Nearly All Been Removed From Third Street Property

Another old landmark on the north side of Third street, between Jackson and Madison, has disappeared, through the demolition of the former residence of Marcus D. Hyde, to make room for the new uses to which the land is to be devoted by the Western Pacific Railroad Company. All of the small cottages lining the same side of the street west of Jackson have also been broken up. The old Carpenter block is also nearly totally

## NEW BUILDING AND REALTY MARKET

Six Weeks of Constant Rain Fail to Wholly Stop Sales or Improvements

After six weeks of almost continuous rainy weather, it is not at all strange that the realty market should be somewhat inactive, that plans for new building improvements should be temporarily pigeon-holed, and that prospective investors in realty should be delaying the inspection of such properties as they desire to acquire until the long series of storms shall cease and fair weather set in. Despite all the drawbacks, however, some important sales of realty have been made during the forty-odd rainy days we have experienced and two of them during the week just closed, the two representing an investment of \$75,000. But it is still more surprising that, although the starting of new building improvements has been impossible in the weather we have experienced, permits for over \$83,000 worth of such improvements have been recorded with the Board of Public Works during the week ending Wednesday evening. "And, as soon as dry weather sets in again," remarked the recording clerk of the board yesterday, "this office will be busier than ever again. There are plenty of building plans on the way and it needs only fine weather to cause their owners to flock into this office with their applications for permits."



RESIDENCE OF WALTER MORGAN, 296 LEE STREET.

## NEW FRUITVALE HOME BEING BUILT

Handsome \$5000 Dwelling Is Approaching Completion On Fruitvale Avenue

G. W. Warren, the Fruitvale druggist, is building an attractive two-story house shown in the accompanying perspective drawing. The house is to be erected on the northeast corner of Fruitvale avenue and Cypress streets, the lot being 40 feet on Fruitvale avenue and 120 feet on Cypress street.

Sidney B. Newsom of San Francisco is the designer. The house is to have eight large, sunny rooms, bath, rear porch and a large front porch looking out on Fruitvale avenue. The dining room, living room and parlor are to have hardwood floors. The main features of the living room will be the beam ceiling and a large fireplace with seats on one side.

The kitchen will be what is known as a "cabinet kitchen," that is, it will have plenty of cabinets, drawers, cases, a large coat closet, etc., and not the usual pass pantry that has become so common in city residences.

On the second floor there will be four large, sunny bedrooms with a sleeping porch facing the east where one can see the hills and also the bay. Each room will have a large closet and drawers. A linen closet will open from the hall. The house will cost \$5,000 complete.

There have passed hands, bringing prices that promise a good real estate era. "Special mention may be made of the Prather block, at Ninth and Oak, sold for \$85,000. The Canning block sold to A. J. Snyder for \$15,000, the Mite 32 apartments for A. V. Beight for \$45,000, the northeast corner of Fourteenth and Market streets, containing two-story business block, for \$43,000, and the runover side of the southeast corner of Twelfth and Jackson streets, a portion of the Woolsey estate, for \$3,000.

"All these properties are distinctive as business properties, and show that there is a coming demand for inside and higher priced holdings."

"It may be well understood that the holdings radiating from these centers are more numerous and bringing prices in ratio to their conspicuousness."

## Wet Weather Does Not Stop Applications Being Filed for Building Permits

Following is a summary of the building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works for the week ending Wednesday, February 10, 1909, as compiled by E. E. Newcott, secretary of the board:

Number of Permits.	Amount.
1-story dwellings	\$28,063.00
2-story dwellings	24,730.00
1-story flats	25,500.00
2-story, 10-room flats and stores	6,800.00
11-story stable	1,425.00
Garage-barns and sheds	975.00
Alterations, additions and repairs	4,355.50
Totals	\$93,908.50

REPORT BY WARDS:

First Ward	\$33,224.00
Second Ward	1,545.50
Third Ward	10,250.00
Fourth Ward	4,000.00
Fifth Ward	26,635.00

### Building Permits

Following is a list of applications for building permits in detail for the week ending Wednesday, February 11, 1909:

Randall Thowbridge Wright Company, alterations, 1504 Broadway, \$375.  
S. W. Wong, alterations, 409 10th street, \$25.  
Cohn, Ben & Marble, 14-story stable, south side of 5th street, 140 feet west of Harrison, \$425.  
Cohn, Ben & Marble, 14-story stable, south side of 5th street, 140 feet west of Harrison, \$75.  
H. C. Morris, 1-story, 5-room dwelling, west line of 10th street, 378 feet south of Santa Rosa, \$3,000.  
J. Reynolds, 1-story, 5-room cottage, south side of East 14th street, 425 feet east of 23d avenue, \$1,100.  
Wyrick & Devoto, floor repairs, 467

7th street, \$25.	7th street, \$25.
10th street, \$25.	10th street, \$25.
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## NEW START FOR NEW INDUSTRIAL PLANT

Work on Dow Plant, Alameda, Renewed; S. P. Co. Ahead on Electric Lines

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—Despite former statements that the firm would not establish itself in Alameda if the city persisted in opening Clement avenue, the Dow Company has again undertaken construction work on its big plant on the tidal canal, on Oak street, and it is believed that some satisfactory agreement will be reached whereby the present building operations will be continued to a completion and whereby the city's street interests in the same neighborhood will also be protected.

## First Methodist Church

The trustees of the First Methodist Church are calling for bids for both the old site and the church structure on Central avenue a few feet west of Oak street. The property has a frontage of 60 feet on Central avenue and is 45 feet deep. The church building is a large structure and in a good state of preservation; but owing to its resemblance to a white elephant to any one having an early eye for it, it will probably be sold for a fraction of its real value.

## S. P. Co. Electric Lines

The Southern Pacific Company has

## PROBABLE SALE OF WOOLSEY HOME

Negotiations for a Fraternal Society Hall Broken by a Higher Bid Being Offered.

During the week the Duby Real Estate Company partly negotiated the sale of the late Dr. Woolsey's home property, at the southeast corner of Twelfth and Jackson streets, to Hugh Hogan for \$85,000. The property was understood to be sought for the erection thereof of a hall building for the Knights of Columbus of the character of the Knights of Pythias Hall at the southeast corner of Twelfth and Jackson streets. But before the negotiations came to a head another party, whose name has not been disclosed, made a higher bid for the property, and the trade with Hogan was declined. The property has a frontage of 120 feet on Twelfth and 100 feet on Jackson street, and bears the residence which Dr. Woolsey erected on it for his own home a few years before his death. Within the last three years it has become too valuable to hold for residence purposes, as the bulk of both frontages on Twelfth street, east to Fallon street, has gone into business uses.

## San Francisco Manufacturing Firm to Establish Big Plant at 23d Avenue

Another new industry is to be added to the industrial basin at the foot of Twelfth street. It is another plant of a manufacturing firm, which has been established on this site and is preparing to move on to its new home at 23d avenue. The firm is the Board of Public Works, which has been established on this site and is preparing to move on to its new home at 23d avenue.



RESIDENCE OF H. B. HINCKLEY, LEE STREET, OPPOSITE MONTECITO AVE.

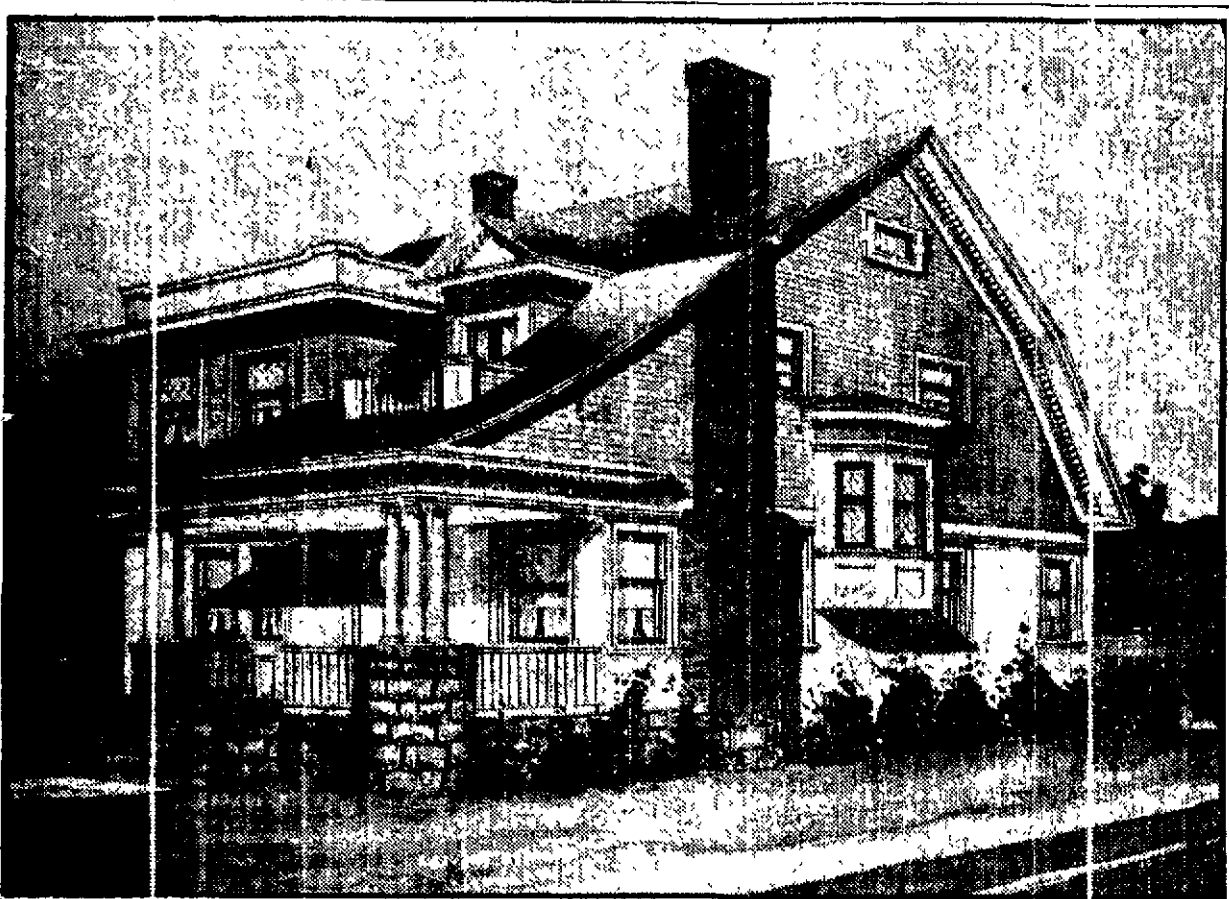
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Additional Real Estate News



NEW RESIDENCE OF GEORGE W. WARREN, NORTHEAST CORNER OF FRUITVALE AVENUE AND CYPRESS STREET, FRUITVALE.

MAMMALS CAUSE UNTOLD DAMAGE

Destruction of Farm Products in West Represents Most Astounding Figures

CHICAGO, Feb. 13. — W. E. Curtis in a special article in the Record-Herald today, under a Washington date, confirms what he characterizes as an "astounding statement" by President Roosevelt recently that "the losses to farm products due to injurious mammals is estimated at \$130,000,000 annually, and the loss through insects is reckoned at \$550,000,000 annually."

"These statements," says Mr. Curtis, "are confirmed by the Secretary of Agriculture and the scientists of that department who have charge of such matters. It is asserted that the prairie dogs in Texas alone eat as much grass every year as would feed a million and a half cattle. There are estimated to be 400,000,000 of that State, an average of twenty-five to that acre and 200 dogs will eat as much grass as a steer. Besides this, the value of the land is very much injured by the dogs, because they dig up the roots of the grass and destroy it."

"In Nevada the agricultural sections are being overrun with field mice. It is estimated that they destroy \$300,000 worth of alfalfa every year. "An accurate knowledge of the relation of birds to the orchard is peculiarly important, so that the orchardist may know his friends from his enemies," says Secretary Wilson. "Much attention has been paid to this subject by the Agricultural department in its relation to the Pacific coast. The fruit raising in each year becoming more and more important and the stomachs of more than 600 birds, including many of great economic value, have been examined, and the contents determined. The work has been rushed as rapidly as possible and the second and final part of a report of the birds of California in relation to fruit raising is now nearly ready for the press."

BANK MEN'S BALL TO BE BIG EVENT

The annual ball to be given by Oakland Chapter, American Institute of Banking, next Tuesday, at Maple Hall, will be one of the events of the season. The growth of this branch of the Institute in Oakland during the past year has been phenomenal, and the wide circle of acquaintances enjoyed by the members ensures the success of the event. Despite the size of the ballroom, it has been found necessary to restrict the number of invitations, applications for which are coming in daily. The chapter entertainment committee, consisting of John S. Kilham, Union Savings Bank (chairman); John F. Hassle, Central Bank; Alfred J. Anderson, First National Bank; John A. Hallahan, Oakland Bank of Savings; Walter E. Kennedy, State Savings Bank; and T. E. Smith, Union Savings Bank, is sparing no pains to make the evening enjoyable in every respect, and ample evidences are at hand to prove that the committee has done its work thoroughly and well. A number of local bank officers have signified their intention of being present, and among the list of guests are some of the most prominent financiers of Alameda County.

GRAND AVENUE NURSERY STOCK TYPES OF HOMES TO BE INSPECTED

Important Measure to Protect This Industry Promises to Become Law

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—A measure, important to the farmers of the country, as well as nurserymen, has been favorably acted upon by the House Committee on Agriculture. Representative Scott of Kansas, chairman of the committee, is author of the bill. It provides for Government inspection of nursery stock at ports of entry to be designated by the Secretary of Agriculture, and authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to organize a quarantine against the importation or transportation in interstate commerce of diseased nursery stock or stock infested with injurious insects. The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to extend the provisions of the bill to fruits, vegetables, bulbs, or other plants, whether or not necessary. The bill makes it unlawful for any transportation company to offer at any port of entry nursery stock, unless accompanied by a certificate of inspection by an official expert of the country from which the importation is made. If not accompanied by such a certificate declaring the importation free of disease or injurious insects, the stock will be held in quarantine until its freedom of dangerous insects, pests or plant diseases has been fully established.

STEEL FRAMEWORK UP TO 3D FLOOR

Sherman, Clay & Co.'s New Building to Be Rushed When Fine Weather Sets In

The five-story class A building which is in course of erection on the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets and which is to be occupied under a long lease by Sherman, Clay & Co., has reached the third story with the massive steel framework. Work has, however, been suspended by the long spell of rainy weather, as it has created a condition too risky for the iron workers to pursue their labors. The building will, however, be rushed under cover as soon as the weather gets settled.

RAIN CEASES IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 13.—The rain storm that swept over Sacramento yesterday spent its force last evening and today the skies are clear. The rise in the river was not so great as predicted, reaching only 24 feet. The water that accumulated in the streets in the residence district owing to defective sewers disappeared before this morning. The storm caused no damage. Travel on the Southern Pacific lines was not interrupted.

EARTHQUAKE VICTIM DROWNS AT ASYLUM

STOCKTON, Feb. 13.—J. Sigilano, aged 45, one of the patients transferred to Stockton from Napa at the time of the earthquake, was drowned this morning at the State hospital while bathing in a large tank with a number of others, in three feet of water.

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DEPARTURES AND ARRIVALS OAKLAND. NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC. In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in the matter of the estate of Harriet M. Boorman, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet M. Boorman, deceased, and for the issuance to Ada L. Jones of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 19th day of February, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, is set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same. Dated February 13, 1909. FRANK A. COOK, Clerk, petitioner, Pacific Building, San Francisco.



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**Relief committee meets every Friday**  
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every Monday evening, 8 o'clock.

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**BUNGALOW**, 1 room, \$37.50. 830 53d st. near Shattuck Key Route.

**FOR RENT**—Very reasonable, furnished or unfurnished, modern cottage of 5 rooms and bath, near 40th and Key Route. For full information address Box 8619, Tribune.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished cottage, close to Key Route, modern, reasonable, able rent to permanent tenant. Apply 850 53d st. Phone Piedmont 1389.

**FIVE** elegantly furnished, single room on suite, large view, car line, reasonable rates; phone Home 1626. 412 18th st.

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**FOUR** rooms in furnished cottage in exchange for light services, good offer. 111 Santa Fe ave. Phone 1019.

**MODERN** 6-room house, nicely furnished. 207 Vernal ave., Piedmont. Phone Piedmont 4182.

**NICELY** furnished 3 to 11 room dwelling, close to Key Route, modern, reasonable, good chance for the right party. Austin, 1018 Broadway.

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**AT 50** or 60 days, a modern 7-room furnished house, nice location. Call morning at 3112 Livingston st., Berkeley.

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**3-ROOM** NEW sunny flat, 2 bedrooms, also 3 rooms furnished for housekeeping. 3839 Pearl st., 200 yards to 40th and Tel.

**3-ROOM** MODERN 6-room corner upper flat, gas, electric lights, laundry, 350 E. 10th st., near Clinton station.

**2-ROOM** LOWER corner flat, 5 large rooms, bath, gas, laundry, 1225 Washington st., near Fruitvale station.

**3-ROOM** NEW modern sunny 4-room flat at 8663 Telegraph ave.; water free. Phone Piedmont 8108.

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WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

**A nicely furnished large front room** suitable for two young men in a private family. Call at 532 23rd Street.

**A sunny furnished room,** with private bath, terms very moderate, THREE BLOCKS FROM KEY ROUTE STATION. PRIVATE; CALL SUNDAY. ADDRESS 2056 EAGLE AVE., ALAMEDA.

**A BEAUTIFUL** sunny upper front room, with bath, adjoining in new private home in Vernon Heights; on car line; privilege of telephone; two men, \$15 per month, including utilities.

**A PLEASANT** sunny front room, suitable for two, with or without light housekeeping privileges. 306 14th, near Fruitvale.

**A LARGE** sunny room with alcove, suitable for 2 gentlemen; separate beds; use of bath and phone. 1214 Telegraph ave.

**A LOVELY** large bay-window room, running water, sun all day; central. 700 10th st.

**A PLEASANT** clean room near Key Route station, 1008 Bush st.

**A FINELY** furnished sunny room. 885 18th st.

**A FRONT** room for 1 or 2, \$2 a week, gentlemen. 631 Merriman, near Grove.

**A PLEASANT** front room. 1669 Franklin.

**BEAUTIFULLY** furnished front room, close in, only \$10. 83 8th st.

**DESIRABLE** sunny hkg. room, central, reasonable. 308 14th. Phone Oak 8019.

**ELIGANTLY** furnished sunny parlor room, running water, central, gas, electric, board if desired; reasonable. 918 Adelphi.

**NEATLY** furnished or unfurnished rooms, 1 or 2, single or suite, or single. 1201 Allee st. at 14th.

**FURNISHED** or unfurnished rooms, with accommodations, 3 minutes' walk to city hall, 1008 Bush st.

**FOR 1** or 2 gentlemen, 1 or 2 rooms, gas, bath; in small private family, breakfast if desired. Apply 605 27th.

**FURNISHED** single sunny room, electric lights, central, close to Key Route. 885 18th st.

**FURNISHED** bed room with board next door for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 130 13th st., 200 E. 10th.

**FURNISHED** room; new, pleasant, modern upper flat; convenient to locals. 1107 14th st.

**FURNISHED** front room for rent. 731 14th st.

**FURNISHED** sunny rooms for housekeeping; very reasonable. 304 E. 14th.

**FURNISHED** room, bath and gas, \$7 per month. 1008 Bush st.

**FINE** large sunny room and bath; close in. 1007 Oak st.

**MOORE** ST. PAUL, cor. 12th and Clay—European plan; 500 furnished rooms; 500 and 1100 day. \$2.50 and 27 wk.; elevator.

**SUITE** of two and three rooms; also single rooms; hot and cold water, phone; central heating. 237 San Pablo ave., corner of Athens.

**LARGE** nicely furnished front room in family, bath, central, electric lights; rent reasonable. 145 14th st.

**LARGE** front room, fireplace, housekeeping if desired, rent \$15 per month. 739 14th st.

**NICELY** furnished room, bath and gas; centrally located; rent reasonable; walking distance from Broadway. 1212 Clay 50th st.

**NICELY** furnished room for rent, with use of bath and phone; on car line. 1115 First ave.

**ROOMS**, private family; near San Pablo and Key Route, two blocks to Key Route. 575 20th st.

**SUNNY** outside room, private entrance, \$12; others, reasonable; home cooking. 1008 Bush st.

**SUNNY** furnished room, housekeeping, call after 1 p. m., 1151 Myrtle st.

**THREE** large well-furnished rooms, ground floor; also 3 unfurnished rooms. 1008 Bush st. Call bet. 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

**THE FRANCES**, next door to Orpheum Theater; elegant restaurant; \$4 weekly.

**THE STANLEY**, rooms, with hot and cold water; reasonable. 858 10th st. or Webster; phone Oakland 7424.

**THE MARYLAND**, 860 Webster st.—Sunny, large, well-furnished rooms, with bath, for two or three. 821 Telegraph ave.

**TWO** rooms, connected with bath, nice for two friends. 821 Telegraph ave.

**1830 BROADWAY**, near postoffice—Clean, light and sunny rooms; \$1 a week up.

## UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

**FRONT** bay-window room and kitchen, private entrance, adults only. 622 10th. No children. 1704 Market st., 2 large.

**FOR RENT**—In a cottage, two large, unfurnished rooms, \$10. 610 39th.

**FOR RENT**—Two unfurnished bay-window rooms, with bath, gas, electric, near local train, 1271 11th ave. Key next door at 1267 11th ave. E. Oakland.

**AAA—VERY** desirable flat, 4 rooms; bath, gas, electric, central, near Broadway and 14th, Madison st., between 12th and 13th. Phone 1019.

**AAA—A NIO** 3 sunny upper flat, new, 4 rooms, bath, gas, electric, stationary, near 8th and San Pablo. Apply 1951 Myrtle.

## Corner Flat

of 6 rooms and reception hall, gas and electric, private entrance, large view, car line, 1115 12th ave. Phone Oakland 2165.

**Elegant** new, modern 5-room lower flat; latest improvements; convenient to cars; rent reasonable. 943 Telegraph ave., corner 8th and San Pablo. Apply 1951 Myrtle.

**FOUR** rooms to rent, lower flat, furnished, modern, \$20. Call at 80 Rose's barber shop, 34th and Telegraph ave.

**FLATS**, 4 and 5 rooms. 4299 Telegraph ave.

**MODERN** 6-room flat; convenient to car line; 5 minutes' walk from Key Route. 667 26th st.

**MODERN** 5-room lower flat, one block from Key Route Market st. station, 315 E. 10th st.

**NEW** sunny upper 5-room flat; one block from car line. 1115 12th ave.

**PRETTY** clean modern flat, 6 rooms; rent \$20. 815 25th st. E. Oakland.

**TWO** flats, 1 on 3 to 5 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; nice grounds; convenient to car line, 1115 12th ave.

**TO LET**—Upper flat, 8 rooms, sunny, large yard, gas, near locals; \$25. 450 22d 5th st., bet. Allee and Jackson.

**TWO** modern 7-room flats, rent reasonable. 1864 Center st., Oakland.

**UPPER** flat, 4 rooms and bath, sun all day, rent reduced. 1008 Bush st.

**WE** have, without a doubt, the finest flat for rent in East Oakland, also large private entrance, 1008 Bush st.

**SUNNY** rooms; bath, laundry, gas, up; 2nd Key Route station; low rent.

## HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

(Continued.)

**FURNISHED** housekeeping rooms, 2 or 3, every convenience, rent reasonable. 771 5th st., corner Market.

**FURNISHED** 3-room cottage furnished for housekeeping, rent







# SPECIAL OFFER STARTS TOMORROW

## Charles Moon Leads, Closely Followed by J. Z. Barnett---Next Week Will See Many Changes---Vote Early and Often

**EXTRA PRIZES**  
This extra prize offer covers the period between Monday, February 15th, at 8 a. m. and Saturday, February 27th, at 10 p. m., and applies to all paid-in-advance subscriptions. All contestants entered prior to Saturday, February 13th, 12 m., are eligible.

**SPECIAL PRIZE.**  
Special prize to candidate in any class securing largest amount of money on paid-in-advance subscriptions.  
Cash \$25.00

**CLASS PRIZES.**  
Most popular young lady, merchandise order \$20.00  
Most popular man in Alameda county, merchandise order \$20.00  
Most popular union man, merchandise order \$10.00  
Most popular and successful man in Alameda and Contra Costa counties, outside of Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley, merchandise order \$10.00  
Most popular member of police department, merchandise order \$10.00  
Most popular boy, choice camera, shotgun or watch, value \$10.00  
Most popular woman, merchandise order \$10.00  
Most popular railway employee, merchandise order \$10.00  
Most popular letter carrier, merchandise order \$10.00  
Most popular member of fire department, merchandise order \$10.00



GEORGE BUSCH,  
Whose Friends Are Legion.

Monday will be bargain day at THE TRIBUNE office, if candidates turn in all the new subscriptions they have secured during these holidays of fine weather. It looks as if the weather man had had the contest specially in mind and rewarded the efforts that so many eager contestants are making. It will be well, by the way, if subscriptions are turned in early. There is always a week-end rush at the office that sometimes makes it impossible to give contestants the prompt attention they deserve. Vote certificates will be given as usual for the number of votes coming to each candidate, and these may be kept as long as desired.

### Votes Count on Standing

Some inquiries have been received as to whether subscriptions will count for the grand prizes. They will. Each candidate will find himself credited at the end of the contest with every bona fide vote received during the whole campaign. So every candidate should do his or her best these two weeks while there is an added incentive.

### A Chance At Five Prizes

During this special offer every candidate is in line for five prizes. Think of it: five chances to win! First, the automobile, second, the special prize in his or her class, or the first prize in his or her district; third, the second prize in his or her district; fourth, the \$25.00 cash prize for the greatest amount of money in subscription; fifth, the merchandise order in each class. Any candidate may win two of these prizes—a special prize at the end of two weeks and a grand prize at the end of the contest. Think it over! Work with all five in mind!

### About Photographs

Candidates should be uneasy because nothing has been seen or heard of photographs they have sent to the contest. They are being published at the rate of three or four a day, and all will appear before the end of the contest. Those which have appeared will be returned if called for.

The following letter has been received by the Contest Manager:

"Dear sir: I am nominating Mr. George Busch as the most popular man in Oakland. We are firmly convinced that the many friends of George's personality and straightforward business methods have secured for him, will support him to a successful finish."

"A FRIEND."

### Classified Ads Help

An unusually liberal feature of this contest is the fact that the best help is given with classified advertising. Five votes will be given for each five cents' worth up to \$1 and from then on an ascending scale is as follows:

100 votes for	\$1.00
200 votes for	2.00
300 votes for	3.00
400 votes for	4.00
500 votes for	5.00

All fractional parts of votes are rounded up. Amounts designated are figured at the rate of 5 votes for each \$1.00.

THE TRIBUNE has also issued little books containing the winning classified advertising coupons, which are for sale at the office for \$2.50. Each book entitles the purchaser to 200 votes in the contest, besides giving him \$3.00 worth of advertising for \$2.50.

A receipt book with which to secure subscriptions will be given each candidate upon application to THE TRIBUNE. Advertisers will be allowed on subscriptions secured anywhere in the United States or Mexico.

### GRAND PRIZES.

Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600

Nomination Prize, to winner of Grand Prize, value \$100

**MOST POPULAR UNION MAN.**

Nomination Prize, \$20.

Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600

First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400

Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150

John A. Healy 11,299

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return (all fares) 100  
DISTRICT NO. 1—OAKLAND.  
Miss Anna Vinther 43,477  
Miss Isabelle Fletcher 35,609  
Miss Alice Tansley 28,249  
Miss Martha E. Smith 25,071  
Miss Beattie Orr 11,508  
Miss Lillian Limbach 11,159  
Miss Ruth Thomas 9,382  
Miss Violet Chapman 9,130  
Miss Eva M. Sanford 9,117  
Miss Elvira Stearns 9,117  
Miss Grace McDavid 2,379  
Miss Mabel Olsen 1,601  
Miss Gladys Edmondson 1,507  
Miss Lottie Galsing 1,387  
Miss Ruth Brown 799  
Miss Clara Gray 750  
Miss Fannie Peterhoff 709  
Miss Cecelia Krogh 689  
Miss Emily Dearborn 604  
Miss Bell Atkinson 480

DISTRICT NO. 2—BERKELEY, RICHMOND AND POINT RICHMOND.  
First Prize, Curtiss Plane, Mission style, upright 430  
Second Prize, Trip to Yellowstone Park and return via Portland 150  
Miss Mildred Mahoney 26,304  
Miss Anna Keady 2,281  
Miss Stella Griffin 1,281

DISTRICT NO. 3—ALAMEDA, FRUITVALE, MELROSE, ELMHURST AND SAN LEANDRO.  
First Prize, Curtiss Mahogany Yacht 400  
Second Prize, Trip to Yosemite Valley and return 50  
Miss Ethel Bassett 15,134  
Miss Gertrude McPherson 9,480  
Miss Estelle Miller 6,128  
Miss Ruth McFar 6,128  
Miss Olga Anderson 3,641  
Miss Grace Sinclair 1,140  
Miss Grace Shaffer 783  
Miss Avis Beatty 623  
Miss Virgil Wilson 623

DISTRICT NO. 4—ELMHURST AND SAN LEANDRO.  
First Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600  
First Prize, Trip to New York, two weeks' hotel bill, returning via Yellowstone and Portland 200  
First Prize, Gold Watch and 500 rounds of ammunition 50  
T. W. Crumpton 39,034  
M. J. Shannon 30,669  
Denny Holland 22,349  
Harry Haley 5,968  
Richard McSorley 2,976  
Joseph M. Hanley 595  
LUDGAS, SOCIETIES, RELIGIOUS OR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.  
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600  
First Prize, Baby Grand Chickering Piano, value 750  
Second Prize, Gold Watch and 500 rounds of ammunition 200  
The Judeans 10,138  
Concordia Rebekah Lodge No. 152 9,291  
Lodge No. 208, I. O. O. F. 6,559  
Court Emoryville No. 218, F. & A. M. 6,302  
Brooklyn Parlor No. 157, N. D. G. W. 3,380  
El C. of the Forest Circle No. 122, A. O. F. 2,802  
Juvenile Court No. 5, A. O. F. 1,671  
Knights and Ladies of the Maccabees 792  
Sisters of the Good Will 691

DISTRICT NO. 5—OAKLAND, EAST OF GROVE.  
Harold Chapman 71,112  
Ben Velasco 15,351  
Joseph George 12,931  
Marcus Wise 9,281  
Henry Gibbs 7,720  
James G. Martin 7,179  
Leo Markelwitz 6,302  
Herbert Trengore 6,302  
Oscar Carson 5,631  
George R. Vestal 4,740  
Paul Wuttke 4,740  
Darrell Orth 4,326  
Roy M. Widger 4,272  
Joseph Eckhardt 4,272  
Lawrence Robertson 2,531  
Frank Gilluly 2,162  
William Westphal 1,981  
George C. Perkins 1,898  
Earl Kreiss 1,824  
Leo Merriell 1,467  
Harry E. Fuller 1,350  
Ray Page 1,439  
Robert L. Atchison 867  
Herbert Tenny 868  
Donald Vaughn 868  
Henry D. Forstell 762  
Frank Smith 762  
Leonard Larsen 628  
Gethin D. Williams 628  
Pansyby Hardner 521  
Louis S. Martin 516

DISTRICT NO. 6—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 7—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 8—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 9—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 10—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 11—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 12—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 13—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

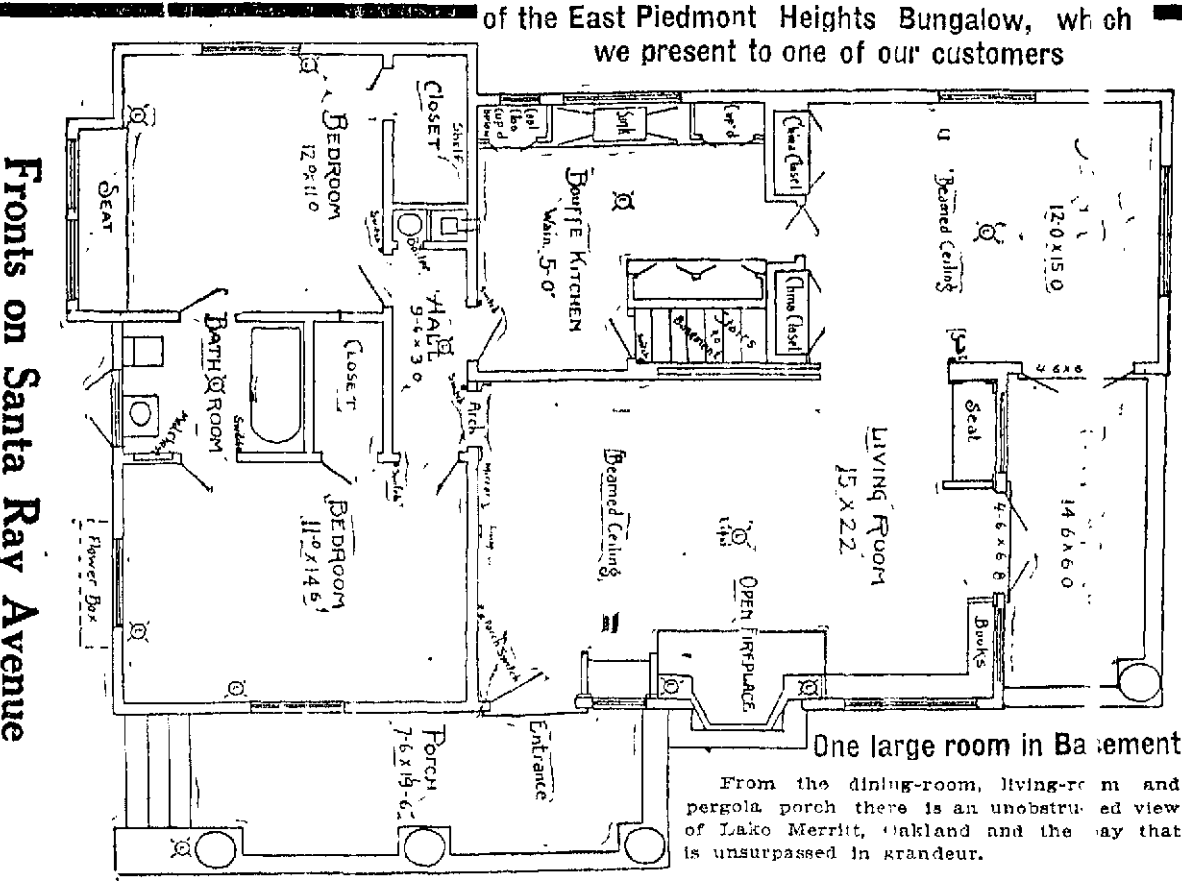
DISTRICT NO. 14—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 15—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 16—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

DISTRICT NO. 17—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.  
Mrs. A. Hoist 10,807  
Mrs. W. White 10,099  
Mrs. Mary Tobin 8,601  
Mrs. H. Logue 8,055  
Mrs. Belle Luz 7,721  
Mrs. E. Slater 3,222

# This is the floor plan



This \$5000 six-room Bungalow is being built on Santa Ray avenue, in East Piedmont Heights, on a lot 50x103 feet. It will be presented absolutely

## FREE

to one of our customers

On the same plan that governed the former gift, which was presented to Mrs. Fanny A. Daley of San Lorenzo, Cal.

## To give one of our customers a HOME is the best advertising that money can buy—full information at our store



**Bungalow furniture**  
A new design of living-room furniture in solid oak, Early English finish; the seats are covered with genuine leather.  
This \$27.50 settle now **\$21.95** This \$16.50 Arm Chair **\$12.45**

**Breuner's faultless Malleable Steel Range**  
**\$49.50**  
Other stores charge from \$65 to \$75.

**Solid Brass Bed**  
This is the beautiful brass bed that Breuner's sell for half what other dealers ask. It is full size and the continuous posts are 2 inches in diameter. \$50.00 value. **\$25.00**

## The "Togo" Japanese Rugs

Regular \$13.35 values  
Special while they last **\$6.95** Size 9x12 feet

## Baby go too

Take the little tot out in the fresh air and you will not need a doctor. We have several styles of go-carts at reduced prices. The one pictured is reduced from \$7.50 to **\$5.85**

## Vacant houses made into happy homes

Ten months' rent money will furnish a home—you expect to be longer than the next 10 months, don't you? We will allow you the use of it goods while paying for them, which means that you may have a home to show if you say the word. Your credit is good, sir; why don't you use it? Can you come in Monday?

## Special Sale of Kapokeen Mattresses

See Them in 13th St. Window

### Your Credit is Good

# Breuner's

13th & Franklin Sts.

Between Broadway and the Narrow Gauge

Mrs. J. H. Carlson 2,785	James Merson 602	Edward Noyes 4,028	return 250
Mrs. George M. Reading 1,541	George M. Reading 408	H. Beckeney 1,541	Second Prize, Merchandise Order on Hoeseam's 100
George Busch 930	J. M. Reiman 657	J. M. Reiman 1,062	J. Z. Barnett 61,671
Mrs. Joseph Morris 891	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Mrs. Louise Phillips 830	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
Mrs. A. B. Hughes 683	The one receiving the largest number of votes in this contest is entitled to the Special Prize.	The one receiving the largest number of votes in this contest is entitled to the Special Prize.	With trip to Los Angeles and return one week's board is included.
Mrs. W. A. Bender 3,114	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Mrs. Carrie Layhne 2,223	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
Mrs. M. Rollins 4,403	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Mrs. H. Reeves 3,269	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
Mrs. W. Blackmore 2,813	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Mrs. Jack Sheffield 1,563	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
Mrs. J. C. Holland 1,261	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Mrs. C. Hedmark 1,882	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
Mrs. G. Daniels 526	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Mrs. Van Houtte 13,931	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
Peter Van Houtte 10,406	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400
Joseph Palmer 8,272	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co., 200	Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150
E. C. Rowland 7,173	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600	First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400

### GRAND POPULARITY VOTING CONTEST

\$10,000 IN PRIZES  
GOOD FOR ONE VOTE

TRIBUNE SEND IN FLAT PACKAGES—DO NOT ROLL

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Most Popular \_\_\_\_\_

This coupon, if clipped neatly, brought or sent to the office before expiration of date printed below, will count as ONE VOTE for \_\_\_\_\_

NOT GOOD AFTER FEBRUARY 21.

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8 Months—\$1.95	100	200
1 Year—\$3.00	200	400
2 Years—\$5.00	1,000	2,000
3 Years—\$7.50	3,000	6,000
4 Years—\$10.00	6,000	12,000
5 Years—\$12.50	10,000	20,000

**MOST POPULAR AND SUCCESSFUL MAN.**  
In Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, Outside of the Cities of Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley.  
Nomination Prize, \$25.  
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600  
First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400  
Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150  
A. L. Burdick, Contra Costa 11,041  
C. H. Haskins, Contra Costa 7,441  
Antonio Lopez, Livermore 7,441  
Antonio Davila, Alvarado 1,257  
W. W. Sherborne, Pittsburg 600  
**MOST POPULAR LADY.**  
First Nomination Prize, \$5 each (one to each district), \$15.  
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value \$1600  
First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland, 400  
Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return, 150  
Mrs. J. C. Holland, An Attractive Fruitvale Contestant.